

PRESIDENT CUTS SHORT VACATION TO TAKE HELM IN MIDEAST CRISIS

Returns to Washington and Will Confer With Congress Leaders About Israel's Stand on Evacuation.

By RAYMOND P. BRANDT,
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of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19—President Eisenhower flew back to the capital from his Georgia vacation today and headed almost immediately for a conference with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles on the Israel-Egypt crisis.

Mr. Eisenhower cut short his golfing and hunting vacation at the estate of Treasury Secretary George M. Humphrey near Thomasville, Ga., to take personal charge of discussions with congressional leaders of both parties on what promises or guarantees this country would give Israel if it withdrew its troops from the Gaza strip and the Gulf of Aqaba area.

The President's decision to return to Washington was made late yesterday after he had conferred with Dulles by telephone over Israel's rejection of offers by the United States to use its "best efforts" to have the United Nations Emergency Force stationed in the Gaza strip and to insure "free and innocent passage" through the Gulf of Aqaba for Israel and other shipping.

Conference Tomorrow.
Before leaving Thomasville, White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty announced the President would meet tomorrow morning at the White House with congressional leaders of both parties and the majority and minority members of the Senate Foreign Relations and House Armed Services and Appropriations Committees of both chambers.

When the President and Dulles meet with the congressional leaders they are likely to be in a bargaining session as sharp as the diplomatic negotiations with Israel Prime Minister Ben-Gurion and Ambassador Eliahu Eban last week. The Israeli-Egyptian impasse and, equally important, the free use of the Suez canal when it is cleared for traffic have American political ramifications as well as international security significance.

The President and the Secretary of State have apparently failed to convince Israel that continued refusal to comply with U.N. resolutions demanding withdrawal of troops from Egyptian territory will lead to even stronger actions by the U.N. which the United States might support in the General Assembly. The Asian-African bloc of 27 members has threatened to demand economic sanctions against Israel. The President and Dulles, in official statements, have implied that the United States might vote for or at least go along with such United Nations action.

Assembly Debate Delayed.
At the request of the American representative, the U.N. General Assembly has postponed the debate of this issue, scheduled for today, until Thursday so that the United States and Israel can come to an agreement or, failing that, to prepare their arguments.

Even within his own party the President is almost certain to encounter opposition to stronger U.N. action against Israel. Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland of California and Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire, ranking Republican member of the Senate Appropriations Committee, have announced opposition to economic sanctions. Other Republicans who will attend the White House conference are thought to be critical include Senator Leavitt.

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U.S. EXPECTS FREE ENTRY OF SHIPS TO AQABA GULF

Can't Guarantee Israel That Right Without Congress Acting, Dulles Says in Review of Deadlock.

By GEORGE H. HALL,
A Washington Correspondent
of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles said today he expected American ships would enter the Gulf of Aqaba without challenge by Egypt but that the United States could not guarantee similar entry to Israeli shipping.

Such a guarantee could not occur in the absence of a treaty or authorization by Congress, Dulles said at a news conference devoted mainly to a discussion of the Middle East Crisis.

By invading the Sinai peninsula last fall Israel wrested from Egypt control of the 100-mile-long cigar-shaped gulf at whose inner tip is the Israeli port of Eilat. Israel has been seeking assurances that if it withdraws from the gulf area it can continue to have free access to the gulf, which formerly was blocked by Egypt.

Asked what good it would do the Israelis if a ship of United States registry passed through the narrow Strait of Tiran, now controlled by Israel

as a result of the Sinai campaign, and into the gulf, Dulles said it might do a lot of good. He went on to say that while the United States is not authorized to defend the rights of ships of other registry, by acting with other powers it could impress on the world the international character of the gulf. He conceded that the strait, which is less than six miles wide, cannot be considered an international waterway, but that since the gulf can be so considered the right of access to it cannot be denied by any one of the four powers, (Egypt, Israel, Jordan and Saudi Arabia) touching upon it.

The gulf could be closed only by an agreement among the four, Dulles said, but he added that the nations which hold the shores of the Strait of Tiran (Egypt or Israel, and Saudi Arabia) have rights of control greater than they would have if the strait was wider than six miles. Nations are generally considered to have control over coastal waters to the three-mile limit.

Dulles said the term "innocent passage" was used in the Geneva Convention on the High Seas.

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BLAIR ORDERS STRICT STATE ENFORCEMENT OF LIQUOR CONTROLS

Gives Instructions for Careful Investigation of Applicants, Bar on 'False Face' License Transfers.

By BOYD F. CARROLL,
Jefferson City Correspondent
of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19—Gov. James T. Blair instructed liquor control officials yesterday to enforce the state liquor control laws rigidly, including close screening of all applicants for state liquor licenses.

"Tight administration of the liquor control laws is in the best interest of all persons concerned," Blair said, "and will be welcomed by legitimate operators in Missouri. Every applicant for a license should be carefully investigated."

Following a conference with Hollis M. Ketchum, state liquor control supervisor, Blair said he had instructed Ketchum to make certain the so-called "false face" transfers of license applications are eliminated. Under this practice a tavern operator, who has been penalized by a license forfeiture or conviction, ostensibly transfers title to his bar and equipment to a relative, associate or employee, but actually remains in business.

"Obvious Evasion of Law." "Such a practice is an obvious evasion of the law," Blair said, "and should not be tolerated." The Governor suggested adoption of a regulation by the department declaring such a transfer to be a presumption of fraud in any consideration of an application of a new license.

Such a rule, it was said, would require the new purchaser to furnish convincing evidence that the transfer of property was a legitimate transaction and not an evasion of the law.

Ketchum told the Post-Dispatch he already has eliminated the so-called "short form" of application for renewal of a state liquor license, which has permitted concealment of past penalties in some instances, and has reinstated the former "long form" calling for detailed information by applicants as to any former law violations.

Former Requirements. Prior to 1946 each applicant for a state liquor license, original or a renewal, was required to answer under oath a long list of questions whether he had ever been arrested, indicted or convicted of any state or federal law, or any liquor law, or any violation of city ordinances. He also had to report any previous revocation or suspension of a liquor license.

In 1946 the department eliminated the use of the long form for renewals and substituted a "short form" application, in which the applicant was supposed to report any change from his statements in his original application—but few such changes were noted.

Under the new system, every applicant, whether for his first license or a renewal, will have to answer all of these questions in detail, Ketchum said.

GOVERNOR WANTS

STATE TO BUY HIM

EXECUTIVE PLANE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19—Gov. James T. Blair, who is a lieutenant colonel in the Air Force at the end of World War II, wants the state to buy him an executive airplane.

At a House Appropriations Committee hearing last night, he said it is his duty to travel around the state and nation and that an airplane would make this duty more convenient and efficient.

When he went to President Eisenhower's inauguration in Washington last month, he sat at the controls of the Air National Guard plane, he said, and coming much of the time.

If he does not use a National Guard plane in his travels, he likes to use a State Highway Patrol plane. He believes surface transportation leaves much to be desired.

Parking Ticket for Airplane.
DETROIT, Feb. 19 (AP)—James C. Rader was ticketed last weekend for parking his airplane in a service drive at Detroit city airport. Col. C. V. Burnett, airport manager, said all runways are considered as city streets under city ordinances—hence the traffic violation ticket.

Tangle Towns.
DETROIT, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Portuguese are going all out to make Queen Elizabeth II comfortable during her visit here. They went so far as to camouflage the view from her bedroom window at Queluz Palace, eight miles outside Lisbon, where she slept last night. Her hosts dug up and replanted 40 tall cypress trees to hide a sagging row of peasant huts.

The old palace, specially refurbished for the visit, was provided with everything from hand-painted cupids in the dressing room to infra-red heating lamps. A planisphere of orchids from Madeira decorated the Queen's quarters, separated from her husband's, the Duke of Edinburgh, by an elegant boudoir.

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NUMBER OF HAZARDS AIDED RAPID SPREAD OF FIRE AT WARRENTON NURSING HOME

BILL REGULATING
NURSING HOMES
APPROVED AFTER
PLEA BY BLAIR

Senate Committee OK's Measure Following Personal Appearance by Governor in Wake of Fire.

By HERBERT A. TRASK,
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of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19—The Senate Public Health Committee, moving promptly in the aftermath of the Warrenton nursing home fire, approved last night a bill giving the Missouri Division of Health authority to prescribe minimum safety and other standards for all privately operated nursing homes in the state.

Committee approval by vote of 10 to 1 followed a personal appearance by Gov. James T. Blair, who the evening before said the measure might need additional strengthening but would certainly be an improvement over "our present wholly inadequate law."

An emergency clause provided that the bill would take effect immediately on passage and signature by the Governor. Ordinarily, laws become effective 90 days after passage.

The proposed new nursing home law, introduced last January by the committee chairman, Senator Albert M. Spradling Jr. (Dem.), Cape Girardeau, does not spell out fire or other safety requirements but empowers the division of health to set up minimum standards on safety, comfort and health, and tightens up procedures for enforcement and licensing.

Government Agencies Exempt. Unlike both the 1941 law now in effect and the 1955 law, which was signed by former Gov. Phil M. Donnelly but later held to be invalid, the Spradling bill does not exempt nursing homes operated by religious and charitable organizations. It does exempt, however, agencies of the federal, state or municipal governments.

The new proposal, which incorporates three amendments, would require that nursing home operators obtain an annual state license. It calls for the homes to be inspected once a year, as the law now provides, or at such other times as the division of health might think necessary.

Terms of Present Law. Under the present 1941 law, a person wishing to operate a nursing home must apply to the division of health which in turn grants a license provided the premises, upon inspection, are found to conform to requirements of sanitation and safety that the division is authorized and directed to set up.

The 1941 law, like the proposed new measure, does not spell out in any detail what safety and health standards are but authorizes the division of health to promulgate such rules as it deems necessary.

Under the present law, persons operating nursing homes without licenses or otherwise violating regulations may be fined \$25, with each week's illicit operation being considered a separate offense. The Spradling proposal would raise the fine from \$25 a week to \$25 to \$100 a day.

Tighter Enforcement. The new proposal would tighten up enforcement by directing the Attorney General of Missouri to act against violators in the event county prosecuting attorneys fail to do so.

The division of health has contended that under the present law its officers often are stalemated in their efforts to correct abuses by laxity of local law-enforcement.

Another important feature of the Spradling bill as amended

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Fire Hazards Found at 4 Homes
Run by O'Sullivan's in County



WOODROW S. O'SULLIVAN, operator of the Katie Jane Memorial Home at Warrenton.

U.S. AGENCY OK'S
\$920,000 PLAZA
HOUSING SITE BID

Drafting of Architects' Plans for 1087 Apartments Due to Start Soon.

Architects soon will draft plans and specifications for the 1087 apartments to be erected in the Plaza area, it was indicated today after the St. Louis Urban Redevelopment Corp.'s bid of \$920,000 for the housing site was approved in Washington.

The next steps will be execution of a lease-purchase contract for the cleared ground and preparation of architects' plans. Then the redevelopment group will apply to the Federal Housing Administration for mortgage insurance.

Once an FHA mortgage insurance commitment is obtained, the redeveloper will be in position to obtain a loan to finance construction and start building.

A spokesman for the Urban Redevelopment Corp. said that steps to work out all details in a formal contract will be taken in a few days. It should not take long to conclude an agreement, he added. Meanwhile, the work of drafting plans for the buildings is to be expedited.

One Change in Proposal. In announcing approval of the bid yesterday the Urban Redevelopment Administration in Washington specified one change in the St. Louis proposal. The corporation wanted a \$920,000 Government loan at annual interest not to exceed 3 1/2 per cent. The Federal agency asked that the redeveloper pay 5 per cent, of which 3 1/2 per cent would be interest and the remaining 1 1/2 would be applied to the principal.

The corporation spokesman said there was little doubt that this federal revision will be accepted.

The deal is to be handled through a lease-purchase agreement whereby the St. Louis Land Clearance for Redevelopment Authority will own the housing site of 6.59 acres and lease to the redeveloper for ultimate purchase. To close the deal the municipal agency is to borrow \$920,000 from the Urban Redevelopment Administration at the federal going rate—currently 3 1/2 per cent—for five years.

The redevelopment group will take possession of the housing site after completing financing arrangements. Its lease-purchase agreement with the Land Clearance Authority will be for a term of five years or until the housing project is completed, whichever is the shortest period. The lease rental

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OFFICIALS SAY
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Building Once Used by College Described as 'Fire Trap' by Former Trustee—Death Toll Rises to 72.

By THOMAS W. OTTENAD,
A Staff Correspondent of the
Post-Dispatch.

WARRENTON, Mo., Feb. 19—There were a number of hazards in the Katie Jane Memorial nursing home that contributed to the rapid spread of Sunday's fire which caused the death of 72 persons, officials said today.

The flames spread rapidly up an unenclosed stairway to the second floor after apparently starting in a first-floor linen closet in an annex to the main building, the investigators reported.

The death toll rose to 72 today when Edward Clayton Richards, 84 years old, died of burns in a hospital at Troy, Mo.

Nineteen more bodies were found in the ruins this morning, bringing the total recovered to 62. Most of the victims were elderly and many were infirm. The task of recovering the bodies has been undertaken by a group of 40 volunteers, equipped with picks and shovels. They were searching for the remaining nine bodies.

The blaze was termed the worst nursing home fire in this country's history by the National Fire Protection Association. The non-profit educational organization said the highest previous loss of life in a nursing home fire was that near Largo, Fla., March 29, 1953, when 33 persons died.

Capt. C. R. Oliver of Troop C, State Highway Patrol, leading the investigation into the worst fire in Missouri history, said the linen closet and the unenclosed stairway above it served as a flue to send the flames and hot gases into the upper floor.

Cause Undetermined. Contributing to the rapid spread of the flames, cause of which is still undetermined, were the age of the building and the type of construction, Capt. Oliver said. He pointed out the floors of the structure generally were of pine and had been oiled repeatedly when the building served as a college. After it was converted to an old folks' home in 1948, the floors were covered with felt paper and asphalt tile.

"This makes a highly combustible combination," Capt. Oliver said. "A building of this type of construction, consisting of a brick exterior and an interior largely of frame, with many windows and doors, almost constitutes a flue if a fire starts."

The building was consumed little time for rescue efforts. This clearly indicates that any non-fireproof building of more than one floor is very hazardous as a home for the aged."

William L. Hannan, chief of the Warrenton Volunteer Fire Department which fought the blaze, expressed the opinion the building constituted a fire hazard although he said the operator of the home, Woodrow O'Sullivan, had taken many steps to correct hazardous conditions.

Among the defects cited by Hannan were the absence of exterior fire escapes, lack of an automatic sprinkler system or an emergency fire hose connected to a water outlet, and the presence of broad hallways and unenclosed stairways. O'Sullivan said the stairways were enclosed but this was disputed by Hannan, who last visited the institution in January.

Fire Chief's Opinion. Hannan said he did not think O'Sullivan was negligent in failing to remedy these defects and he praised his spirit of co-operation in installing fire extinguishers, keeping them properly charged and removing the boiler and laundry to a separate building.

Many of the defects found by Hannan would have required considerable time and expense to remedy, and the fire chief refused to say the home should have been closed in his opinion.

The home was described as "a fire trap" by State Representative William Zimmerman, a member of the board of trustees of the old Central Wesleyan College, to a Post-Dispatch reporter today.

"The building was a fire trap from the time it was built," Zimmerman, Warrenton real estate operator and radio station owner, observed.

"At the time the college closed in 1941 I was a member of the executive committee of

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BLAIR CALLS ELECTION APRIL 2 TO VOTE ON PAY HIKE FOR LEGISLATORS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY,
Feb. 19.

A SPECIAL ELECTION on April 2, for the voters of the state to decide whether the pay of legislators should be increased from \$125 to \$300 a month, was called today by Gov. James T. Blair, who has said legislative pay is "outrageously low."

The Governor acted after the Senate and House voted with all hands to pave the way for salary increases for the members. He said the date will coincide with municipal and school elections throughout the state and keep the cost of the special election at a minimum.

The proposal on the ballot will be for constitutional amendment. A bill shortening the time for legal notices of special elections on such amendments from 70 to 30 days, was passed by the House and Senate and signed by the Governor, making it possible for the election to be held the same day.

ARMY'S 4-FOOTED DOGFACES MAY BE ON WAY OUT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Army dog, now used for scout and sentry duty, may follow the Army mule and the carrier pigeon in a return to civilian status.

The same Army officials who tried unsuccessfully to motorize military funerals have now decided to demobilize the dogs if that can be done without stirring up too much opposition. The need for economy is being given as the reason for demobilizing the Army's 950 dogs, now on duty at home and abroad.

In addition to training and maintaining its own dogs, the Army at Fort Carson, Colo., trains about 50 dogs each month for the Air Force.

But those who favor demobilizing the dogs say the Army has little use for the animals in peacetime, and suggest the Air Force can train its own. Army officials contend that it costs \$800 to train each animal. Presumably this total includes the cost of training and supporting the human handlers. Other Army sources say this cost estimate is too high.

EMBASSY CALLERS ARE WELCOME — AT THE SIDE DOOR

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PARIS, Feb. 19—Visitors to the United States Embassy here today were being shooed away from the front door by a massive sergeant of Marines.

"You'll have to use the side door," he informed them. Investigation developed the fact that some genius connected with the embassy security services had decided to stage a dry-run security check.

The sergeant himself said it had been going on for three days. Nobody seemed to know just how long the front door was going to be barred to callers.

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U.N. GIVES ISRAEL 48 HOURS TO ACT ON EGYPT CRISIS

Meeting on Sanctions to Be Held Unless Agreement Is Made to Evacuate Troops.

By ALVIN H. GOLDSTEIN,
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Post-Dispatch.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Feb. 19—Israel today had 48 hours to agree to complete withdrawal from the Gaza strip and Gulf of Aqaba or to face possible punitive action by the United Nations General Assembly.

Members of the 27-nation Asian-African bloc yesterday agreed reluctantly with the request of United States Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., for a third postponement of the extraordinary plenary session of the Assembly to discuss Israeli non-compliance with six resolutions urging Israeli evacuation "forthwith" from Egyptian territory.

Postponements of the meetings scheduled last week and yesterday were to permit Israeli Ambassador Abba Eban to consult Prime Minister Ben-Gurion in Jerusalem on the effect of his conferences with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles and on President Eisenhower's declaration that Israel had been offered "the maximum of assurances" against renewed Arab attack.

Arab delegates in the Asian-African bloc have declared their determination to seek the imposition of U.N. economic and political sanctions on Israel unless its troops are withdrawn unconditionally from Egyptian territory. Israel has refused to leave until protective measures, more concrete than implied in United States assurances, are taken.

These assurances, declared unsatisfactory by Israeli spokesmen, amounted to promises that the United States would use its influence in the U.N. to prevent Egypt from restoring its blockade of Israeli shipping in the Aqaba gulf and to provide protection by the U.N. Emergency Force from organized Arab raids from the Gaza strip.

In Washington the Associated Press reported that the Senate Democratic Policy Committee voted unanimously today to ask the United States delegation to the United Nations to oppose any attempt to apply U.N. sanctions against Israel.

Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson of Texas announced the policy committee's action to the Senate.

Asked for Guidance. Johnson said he had asked the Senate leadership of his party for "guidance" in his own participation in a conference with President Eisenhower at the White House tomorrow morning.

Johnson said the Democratic Policy Committee's response to his request was to endorse unanimously a letter he wrote Dulles Feb. 11 in which he said: "It is my hope that you will instruct the American delegation to the United Nations to

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Partly Cloudy

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Partly cloudy to night and tomorrow; low temperature tomorrow morning near 20; high in afternoon in middle 30s.

TEMPERATURES
2 a.m. 32
4 a.m. 30
6 a.m. 28
8 a.m. 26
10 a.m. 24
12 noon 22
2 p.m. 20
4 p.m. 18
6 p.m. 16
8 p.m. 14
10 p.m. 12
12 midnight 10

Normal maximum this date 46; normal minimum 28.

Yesterday's high, 50, at 10 a.m.; low 34 at 11:59 p.m.

Rainfall this year, 2.34 inches; normal, 3.52 inches.

(All weather data, including forecasts and temperatures, viewable at the Weather Bureau.)

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Sunset, 5:43 p.m.; sunrise (tomorrow), 6:46 a.m.

Stage of the Mississippi at St. Louis, —0.9 feet, a fall of 0.3; the Missouri at St. Charles, 7.8 feet, a fall of 0.2.

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The Queen wore the emerald and diamond tiara of the late Queen Mary—a museum piece—and a gold tulle dress embroidered with gold and pearls.

Tumultuous Greeting.
She had received tumultuous greeting from 1,000,000 Portuguese who lined the streets of Lisbon. She thanked President Francisco Higueiro Cavaleiro Lopes for what she called an "unforgettable welcome."

Lopes told the Queen, "the

will make a world-wide broadcast the royal Monday over the Voice of America. The occasion will be the Voice's fifteenth anniversary.

The President will speak at 10:30 a.m. St. Louis time from headquarters here of the Voice. In addition to direct transmission over world-wide Voice facilities, the address will be broadcast in all languages in which the Voice operates.

LANA TURNER SEPARATED FROM FOURTH HUSBAND

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 19 (AP)—Lana Turner and her fourth husband, Lex Barker, have separated after three and a half years of marriage.
Barker was married to the blond actress in Turin, Italy, in September 1953. Miss Turner, 37, was formerly married to Artie Shaw, twice to stock broker Stephen Crane and to sportsman Henry J. (Bob) Topping. Barker, 36, was previously married to actresses Constance Thurlow and Arlene Dahl.

NATIONALISTS SAY SHIPS SANK RED CHINESE GUNBOAT

TAIPEI, Formosa, Feb. 19 (AP)—Two Nationalist warships sank a Communist gunboat and damaged another in a 10-minute battle in narrow Matsu strait, northwest of Formosa, navy headquarters reported yesterday.

A spokesman said the Red gunboat, backed by Communist shore artillery, attacked Nationalist ships Sunday. The Formosa-based gunboats were unscathed, the ministry said, in the fifth reported sea fight this year in the Matsu area.

Blue Train Will Run Again.

PARIS, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Blue Train, a casualty of the European oil shortage following the Suez Canal closure, will be put in service again March 1. The luxury train from Paris to the Riviera is one of Europe's most popular.

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HEADS WOMEN LAWYERS.
CHICAGO, Feb. 19 (AP)—Grace B. Doering of Cleveland was chosen president of the National Association of Women Lawyers yesterday. She will assume the office at the annual convention of the American Bar Association next July.

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3 Killed by Avalanche.
BOLZANO, Italy, Feb. 19 (AP)—An avalanche struck a company of Alpine troops maneuvering 7000 feet up in the Dolomite Alps yesterday, killing three Italian soldiers.

He pointed out Egypt has denied Israeli the right of passage both in the gulf and the Suez canal and that Egypt has threatened to restore the blockade of Israeli shipping in the gulf at the first opportunity.

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CHARTER BOARD APPROVES 7-7-1 ALDERMANIC ELECTION PLAN

Bitter Exchanges Mark Debate — David M. Grant Says It Is Highly Probable No Negro Will Be Elected.

The charter board of freeholders voted last night in favor of the 7-7-1 plan of electing aldermen for inclusion in the tentative draft of a proposed new city charter to be submitted to voters.

Vote on the plan, under which seven aldermen would be elected by district and seven others and the aldermanic president elected at large, was 9 to 4, with Freeholders C. B. Broussard, David M. Grant, John J. Nally and William A. Webb casting negative votes.

A fifth freeholder, John F. X. Callanan, also voted no initially, but switched to the majority after the vote was announced. He explained this was for purposes of "unanimity."

Bitter Exchanges. The meeting lasted more than three hours and was marked by frequent bitter exchanges, particularly between David M. Grant, one of two Negroes on the board, and other members.

There was an unusually large attendance of about 275 persons, almost all Negroes, who vigorously applauded after Grant made a 40-minute speech attacking the 7-7-1 plan. He charged it was designed primarily to deprive the city's Negro minority of fair representation on the board of aldermen.

His personal criticism of Freeholder Major B. Einstein, who last week had renewed the 7-7-1 proposal after its defeat last December by an 8-to-5 vote, caused Chairman George L. Stemmler to admonish Grant for failure to "observe the amenities." Grant apologized and withdrew his remark, which had questioned Einstein's veracity.

Einstein, in introducing the motion for the 7-7-1 plan, which replaces a previously approved 14-4-1 plan for 14 aldermen by districts and four aldermen and the president elected at large, repeated the reasons he gave at a meeting last week for changing his mind.

'Reflects Average Viewpoint.' "I am confident that this motion for the 7-7-1 plan accurately reflects the viewpoint of the average fair-minded, unselfish citizen who is sincerely concerned with the well-being of the community as a whole," he said.

With the larger number of aldermen, he asserted, the aldermen would "then be guided in their decisions by the consideration of what is best for the city as a whole rather than by purely sectional interest or personal courtesy."

Grant, in his prepared speech, charged that the alignment of ward areas proposed by Einstein for the 7-7-1 plan would make it "highly probable that no Negro aldermen will be elected at all."

In support of this he cited figures from a study of voter distribution prepared last summer by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Split of Negro Vote. He said the deprivation of Negro representation on the Board of Aldermen would be accomplished by white politicians who would "surreptitiously" persuade several Negroes to file as candidates in heavily Negro districts, thus splitting the Negro vote and enabling a favored white candidate to win.

"You may say," he continued, "Two can play at that game.... go out and better organize your majority. To that I say we have done so already to the tune of four aldermen. And the best organization effort we can make at this time is resistance to this resolution's attempt to disorganize these four out of their aldermanic offices."

"This double-dealing plan is either the scheme of a witless or uninformed or unthinking highly pressurized person, assuming a desire to be fair, or it is the product of some venal politician who is cunning and knows darned well what he is doing."

'Influenced by Press.' He charged that the freeholders who switched their support to the 7-7-1 plan had been unduly influenced by newspaper editorials, particularly those of the Post-Dispatch, and said: "Could it be that we constitute a composite machine designed to measure editorial praise or pressure?"

Referring to another section of the charter proposal under which the Mayor and a majority of the Aldermen could approve sale of city utility revenue bonds, Grant said "the more I think about these things the more do overtones of sinister men take shape in my mind."

He declared the 7-7-1 plan was a "clever and deliberate two-pronged thrust," aimed at

Home Operated by O'Sullivan's Sister



Halls Ferry Memorial Home at 2115 Kappel drive, Moline, St. Louis county, operated by a sister of Woodrow S. O'Sullivan. Some of the survivors of the Katie Jane nursing home fire in Warrenton, Mo., were transferred to this home.

RISE IN SOME AUTO INSURANCE RATES PROPOSED HERE

Special to the Post-Dispatch, Feb. 19

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19 —Increases in automobile comprehensive coverage and liability insurance rates were indicated today in proposed schedules for Missouri communities filed by large automobile insurance companies with the State Division of Insurance here.

Suggested schedules for the St. Louis area call for an increase of about 22 per cent for comprehensive policies covering theft, glass breakage, fire and damage done by tornado, hail and wind. An average increase of 15 per cent is proposed for liability policies. Collision insurance, which protects the owner's car, is not affected.

C. Lawrence Leggett, state insurance superintendent, said he had informed the National Auto Underwriters Association that the increases would not be opposed. Missouri auto insurance companies, Leggett said, have incurred "substantial" losses, especially last year, due primarily to increased costs of body and windshield repairs, numerous thefts in St. Louis and some other localities, and large jury verdicts in liability cases.

The increases, which may be as low as less than one per cent in Kansas City, since they are based on existing rates and loss experiences in various areas, will be announced simultaneously by underwriting companies, probably next month. The last general increase in Missouri was in 1950.

'Reducing and containing Negro St. Louis.' "and electing a captive board of aldermen."

If the 7-7-1 plan is finally approved by the freeholders, he said, he would refuse to sign the charter draft and would fight the proposal "at every level."

Violent Intent Denied. Freeholders favoring the 7-7-1 plan vigorously, but more briefly, replied to Grant's speech, denying there was anything violent about the plan or that it was intended to strike at the Negro vote.

Einstein expressed resentment at Grant's personal reference to him and acknowledged that "I, too, belong to a minority group—a fact I have been made acutely aware of since childhood."

Einstein declared that racial considerations had no part whatsoever in his decision and, moreover, that he had been unable to pressure whatsoever, political or otherwise, in changing to the 7-7-1 plan.

Jeopardizes Future. Freeholder Melvin H. Krah, former Tenth Ward alderman, spoke strongly for the 7-7-1 plan, although it would mean "cutting my own throat as a Republican if I should ever decide to run for alderman again."

He pointed out that the voting district now including his Tenth ward would contain also the present Seventh, Eighth and Ninth wards, which would make the district overwhelmingly Democratic.

"But my conclusion is that the 7-7-1 plan would provide the best representation for all the citizens, with all races and creeds represented," he said.

C. B. Broussard, school principal and the other Negro freeholder, supported Grant and moved that action on the 7-7-1 plan be deferred pending further committee study. This motion was defeated, 7 to 6.

Freeholder William A. Webb, a labor leader, declared that organized labor favors continuing the present organization of 28 aldermen elected by ward and only the board president at large. He moved to reinstate this proposal, which previously had been rejected by the freeholders, but the motion was defeated 9 to 4.

After approval of the 7-7-1 plan, Broussard moved to modify Einstein's proposed distribution of present wards within the seven proposed voting districts so as to strengthen Negro representation. Because of the late hour, discussion of this proposal was deferred and Stemmler ordered adjournment until 1:45 p.m. tomorrow.

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Fire Hazards Reported At 4 Homes in County

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tion District last August recommended automatic sprinklers be installed at the O'Sullivan Nursing Home, operated by Thomas O'Sullivan, "as soon as possible."

The homes retained their licenses to operate in all cases. It could not be learned immediately whether the homes had complied with recommendations.

A Post-Dispatch reporter, who was refused permission to inspect three of the five county O'Sullivan-operated homes yesterday, was granted permission to examine the Penn Nursing Home today.

The home, a large asbestos-shingled on landscaped grounds, appeared to be clean and free of fire hazards. Floors were tiled and the furnace was inclosed in a room. Ninety-one patients occupy the establishment.

Admission also was granted to the Halls Ferry Memorial Home which the reporter found to be clean and apparently free of fire hazards. Halls Ferry has two buildings, one studio and the other brick. Furnace rooms are walled off.

The Rugh Manor Nursing Home is a new one-story, concrete block building with inner walls of concrete and plaster, steel door frames and doors and wooden roof. It is heated by a gas furnace located in the attic. This is approved by fire underwriters. A fire alarm device controlled by a thermostat is connected with the St. John Fire Department.

The establishment also has three fire bells and a fire alarm box. The same reporter had earlier been refused permission to enter the Shamrock Home by James O'Sullivan, the operator, who said he had "complied with state laws and the whole thing is none of your business."

Permission to inspect the O'Sullivan Home also had been denied yesterday. Two other Missouri nursing homes are operated by members of the O'Sullivan family, one at St. Charles and another at Festus.

4 Inspections a Year. Inspections for fire hazards, wiring, health and sanitation are made four times a year by local or county authorities. These inspection reports are forwarded to the Missouri divisions of health which issues the licenses.

Dr. Herbert R. Domke, St. Louis county health commissioner, today sent a letter to county fire departments pointing out that the Warrenton fire "clearly showed everything possible should be done to protect nursing homes against these things."

"The Warrenton fire," he wrote, "will lead to definite regulations for fire prevention. In the absence of such regulations now, however, we feel you should require the highest possible standards."

"In the past we have written at quarterly intervals to request these inspections. It would be appreciated if you make inspections at these intervals or more often if this is desirable."

There are about 58 nursing homes in the county, most of them in incorporated areas.

Hearing Ends. Hearing on a citation issued by the Board of Public Service against Mrs. Hazel E. Barth, operator of a 16-patient nursing home at 4517 Forest Park avenue, ended today when Mrs. Barth stated she had complied with recommendations of safety and health inspectors.

The citation, alleging Mrs. Barth's failure to comply with city ordinances, was based on inspections made last Nov. 29 in which five violations were alleged. Mrs. Barth said she has contracted for installation of a sprinkler system, has installed a fire escape from the third floor, has plastered the basement ceiling and has hired two registered nurses.

The Board of Public Service directed that a re-inspection be made of the establishment.

POLICE TAG 216 DRIVERS LACKING CITY STICKERS

Police issued 216 summonses to motorists for failing to have their 1957 city automobile license stickers, or for failing to have them affixed in a legal manner to the windshields of their machines from 7 a.m. yesterday to 2 p.m. today.

More than 120 drivers reported their stickers had been stolen. When anyone made such a report at the Page Boulevard Station, he was issued a summons on a charge of failing to have his city sticker on his car. These motorists, like those who "forgot" to get their licenses, or "didn't have money," will have to pay a \$5 fine at the traffic bureau, it was said.

Some officers were issuing summonses to those who had the stickers affixed to their windshields with tape. They pointed out to the drivers that such a method was illegal under the city's license code.

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EXPERT PRAISES CITY'S NURSING HOME FIRE LAWS

Declares State Should Pass Regulations Similar to Those in St. Louis.

St. Louis city ordinances designed to assure safety from fire in nursing homes in the city "are very good laws" and should be enacted on a state level, Robert S. Moulton, technical secretary of the National Fire Protection Association of Boston, told the Post-Dispatch today.

Reached at his Boston office by telephone, Moulton, an expert on fire safety, said state laws similar to those governing the safe operation of nursing homes and other institutions in St. Louis should be enacted in Missouri to prevent such disasters as the fire in the Katie Jane Memorial Home in Warrenton last Sunday in which 72 persons were killed.

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Survey Shows.

The East Side has led all other sections of the St. Louis metropolitan area in capital expansion, analysis of data in the Metropolitan Survey report showed today.

In 1954, the last year for which complete figures are available, manufacturers spent \$50,588,000 for new plants and equipment in the city of St. Louis and \$11,502,000 in St. Louis county. The largest capital expenditure, however, took place in the Illinois portion of the metropolitan area. Outlays for plant and equipment in Madison and St. Clair counties totaled \$69,185,000.

Heavy industry predominates on the East Side. Expansion has been vigorous not only in steel but in the primary metals and chemicals.

In the highly industrialized city of St. Louis, expansion has been limited by scarcity of large tracts, a defect which the program of slum clearance and urban redevelopment aims to correct. St. Louis county still has comparatively little industry. It is the East Side that has been the center of most vigorous industrial growth.

Effect on Employment.

Capital expansion does not automatically increase employment, however. In the period from 1947 to 1954, the number of workers employed in manufacturing in the city dropped from 173,000 to 168,000, and on the East Side it declined from 59,000 to 56,000, the survey reported. Only in St. Louis county, where the labor force in manufacturing was small, did the total go up; there manufacturing employment increased from 10,000 in 1947 to 37,000 in 1954.

Automation holds down the number of workers. A new oil refinery may cost millions of dollars, yet require a very small staff. On the East Side a number of old plants have shut down, including iron foundries, the report noted. In St. Louis, where some industrial operations have been terminated or transferred to other areas, many workers have shifted from manufacturing to service industries.

Measured in terms of value added by manufacture, the city's manufacturing industry was almost three times as large as that of the East Side and four times the size of St. Louis county. It was found. Value added by manufacture in the city increased from \$909,096,000 in 1947 to \$1,220,642,000 in 1954; on the East Side it advanced from \$323,517,000 to \$484,903,000, and in St. Louis county it rose from \$58,596,000 to \$355,076,000.

Median family income, as registered when the 1950 census was taken, was higher in Madison county than in the city of St. Louis.

For the metropolitan area as a whole, median income was \$3383; for St. Louis, \$3205; St. Louis county, \$3998; St. Charles county, \$2982; Madison county, \$3490, and St. Clair county, \$3155, the report shows. Of the 447,949 families in the metropolitan area, 22.9 per cent had annual income of \$5000 or more. In the city, 19.9 per cent of the families were in this category; St. Louis county, 33.8; St. Charles county, 12.8; Madison county, 21.3, and St. Clair county, 17.3.

UAW Leader's Suggestion.
Russell Letner, regional director of the United Automobile Workers, today urged the Mayor of St. Louis to call a conference of civic, industrial, labor and educational leaders to study means of dealing with metropolitan problems.

Automation can raise standards of living if correctly handled, he said, but if "improperly used" can create economic havoc through widespread unemployment. He suggested that school programs be co-ordinated to train people for automatic factory jobs.

Attention should be given to development of a Missouri Valley Authority as a means of helping to revitalize the entire region, he added.

3 YOUTHS GET REFORMATORY TERMS IN ATTACK ON GIRL

Three youths who pleaded guilty of assault with intent to ravish a 13-year-old girl in O'Fallon park last June were denied probation today and sentenced to two years in Alcoa Reformatory.

They are Charles T. Moynihan, 17 years old, of the 4100 block of West Carter avenue; John F. Szykowski, 18, of the 4100 block of West Florissant avenue, and Robert J. Jansen, 16, of the 4200 block of Clay avenue.

In passing sentence, Circuit Judge Robert L. Aronson said, "The parole office went into the cases with care and consideration, and recommended no parole. I see no reason for departing from their recommendation." James E. Stephens, 17, of the 110 block of North Eighth street, received the minimum two-year penalty on a statutory rape charge last November. He was the only one who stood trial in the case.

Two Poles Flee in Boat.
COPENHAGEN, Feb. 19 (UP)—Two Polish brothers arrived here in a captured fishing trawler yesterday and asked for political asylum. Officials said the men, whose names were not disclosed, locked the vessel's captain and crew in the cabin at pistol point and sailed the trawler into Danish waters.

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Hazards Aided Spread of Fire at Warrenton

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the board of trustees, and was in charge of buildings. The maintenance staff oiled the floors constantly and they did not spare the oil. It was common knowledge that the building was not safe from fire.

"Cleanest Anywhere," Zimmerman praised the operation of the nursing home, which he termed "one of the finest and cleanest you could find anywhere, but it was a fire trap."

He denounced the practice of buying old buildings and turning them into nursing homes. "Missouri is full of such establishments, which should be condemned as fire traps," he said.

Representative Zimmerman, a Republican, said O'Sullivan worked against him at the last election. "It was known generally that I favored strict regulations of nursing homes and favored raising the safety standards," Zimmerman related. Fred N. Dietrich of Hannibal, Mo., an inspector with the Missouri inspection Bureau, said he inspected the building in 1949, finding it in very satisfactory condition from the standpoint of fire safety. Declining to term it a fire trap, he conceded it was not a fire-resistant building, but one that would burn.

Another expert, Capt. William Trantina, chief inspector of the Fire Prevention Bureau of the St. Louis Fire Department, said, after looking at the ruins, "If this building had been equipped with an automatic sprinkler system, the fire could never have happened. The system would have caught and held the fire in check until the firemen could arrive."

Trantina was accompanied by Capt. Sidney Swanson of the bureau and Charles V. Pregaldin, St. Louis deputy building commissioner. They will submit a report on the findings to St. Louis Director of Public Safety Joseph P. Sestric.

On the basis of about 20 interviews yesterday, Capt. Oliver announced there were no attendants on duty on the first floor of the annex when the fire broke out. Explaining this violation of the home's rules, he said the woman attendant assigned to the area had left for about 15 minutes to assist an attendant on the second floor.

The two-story annex, north of the main building, was connected to it by an enclosed porch about 23 by 30 feet in size, which served as a sitting and visiting room for the inmates. A hall ran north and south the length of the annex while the linen closet was located beneath an open stairway in the hall just off the porch.

Served as Flue.

While Capt. Oliver said the fire appeared to have started in the linen closet, in any event it must have started close by, for the closet and stairway served to carry the flames to the second floor with great rapidity, he reported. The first point at which the flames were seen on the upper floor was directly above the linen closet, he said. O'Sullivan told the Post-Dispatch that nothing except linens, sheets and pillow cases were ever stored in the closet.

Lt. W. Hutchings, of a State Highway Patrol unit that is looking into the cause of the fire, reported today that 23 persons have been questioned so far, including Mrs. Edna Boemker, a nurse's aid, who was on duty on the second floor of the annex at the time of the blaze.

"She told us that she started to go to the first floor when suddenly, at the top of the stairway, she smelled smoke and heard a cry of 'Fire,'" Lt. Hutchings said, outlining the interview with Mrs. Boemker. "She closed a door at the top of the steps to try to keep smoke out of the second floor, but she said it came in any way. Mrs. Boemker went to a window and was assisted down a ladder by a man."

He quoted Mrs. Boemker as saying there was only one nurse on duty at night in the annex for the 34 patients on the two floors, but that, during the day, one nurse was on duty on each floor.

Mrs. Boemker is at her home near Warrenton, suffering from smoke inhalation and nervousness as a result of the fire, Lt. Hutchings said.

Two inmates were interviewed by Capt. Oliver at Lincoln County Hospital in Troy, Mo., where they are being treated for severe burns. They are Joseph Van Beers and Chris Romaker, both of whom occupied rooms on the first floor of the annex near the closet.

Van Beers, whose door was open on the hallway, is believed to have been the first person to discover the fire. He told Capt. Oliver he smelled smoke and went to his door to investigate.

"At that time, Van Beers told us, flames of great intensity were traveling along the wall of the hall and beneath the stairway to the second floor," Capt. Oliver said. Van Beers escaped by climbing through a window to the open ground.

Flames Billow Into Room. Romaker said his door had been closed and he had smelled no smoke. On opening his door by chance, he related, flames billowed into his room, burning him about the face and hands. He also fled through a window, recalling that someone had entered the room and tried to stop him.

At a press conference yesterday, Capt. Oliver said cause of the fire had not been discovered yet. He expressed the belief that an explosion reported by some witnesses had followed rather than preceded the fire, which began about 2:40 p.m.

In any fire, the cause must be some mechanical defect such as faulty wiring, an accident of some kind or arson, Capt. Oliver said. "We can't rule out any possibility here as yet," he added.

Efforts at getting inmates out of the building were hampered by the fact that all employees were not informed of the fire as quickly as they should have been, he said. No general alarm system existed and the alarm had to be spread by word of mouth.

O'Sullivan told reporters



GOV. JAMES T. BLAIR discussing bill tightening safety standards in the state's privately operated nursing homes with DR. JAMES R. AMOS (left), director of the Division of Health, and C. ROUSS GALLOP, director of the Department of Health and Welfare, in Jefferson City following disastrous fire at Warrenton, Mo.

there was a buzzer system connected with the telephone circuit that was used to spread a general alarm, but he said he did not know whether it was used.

Opinion on Survivors.

Capt. Oliver expressed the opinion that "some patients" could have been saved if there had been exterior fire escapes but others would have died anyway because of their physical condition. Only eight of the 18 patients on the first floor of the annex survived and only two of the 16 on the second floor were saved, he said. One of these was outside the building at the time, he added.

Some of the patients resisted rescue efforts and delayed their departure in order to gather up belongings, two of them returning to the burning building after they had been led outside.

This same kind of thing could happen in many other similar institutions in the state, Capt. Oliver said.

Dr. Andrew Lanier of Kewanee, Wis., who frequently visited his mother-in-law at the hospital during the three years she has been a patient there, praised the operation of the home and said he felt proper safety measures had been taken by the management.

Dr. Henry H. Sweets Jr., a pathologist of Hannibal, Mo., who is conducting the post mortem, said a majority of the victims died from smoke and flame inhalation. Most of the bodies showed a strong content of carbon monoxide in the blood, the usual accompaniment of incomplete combustion in a large fire. Three or four suffocated from simple lack of oxygen, he said.

Warren County Coroner F. H. Knigge said an inquest would be held as soon as all bodies have been removed from the wreckage. He suggested the possibility of a mass burial because of the difficulty of identifying individual victims.

Accompanying Dietrich was Wilfred Sanders, superintendent of the Hannibal office of the Missouri inspection Bureau. They were joined by Willard C. Anderson of St. Louis, manager of the bureau, and Chester I. Babcock of Boston, Mass., of the National Fire Protection Association. Babcock, who has investigated a number of large fires, and others are seeking to determine the cause of the fire and collect data of various kinds on safety precautions, personnel, equipment, wiring and heating apparatus.

Closed in 1941.

Mrs. H. L. Hefflin of Warrenton, president of Central Wesleyan College Alumni Association, said the college was closed in 1941 because of financial difficulties.

The closing was in no way related to the condition of the buildings since they were considered at the time as being in good condition, she stated.

"If the supporters of the school had had the money, they would have continued to operate it," Mrs. Hefflin said.

The buildings remained unused from 1941 to 1948 but were not disposed of because the Methodist Church, which had operated the college, was hopeful of getting sufficient funds to re-open it, she pointed out.

Eventually the property was acquired by H. C. Duebert of Marthasville, who later sold it to O'Sullivan, Mrs. Hefflin said. Opened shortly after the Civil War, Central Wesleyan College offered a full four-year course until 1931, when it became a junior college.

License Held Up. As disclosed yesterday, the state had held up the license renewal for the Katie Jane nursing home following a recent inspection. The license expired Jan. 31.

One of the three grounds for delaying the license renewal was the home's reported failure to have its electrical wiring inspected by a "competent electrician."

O'Sullivan, referring to this matter, told the Post-Dispatch: "There was no question on the wiring. The state merely asked that I get a letter from an electrician that wiring he put in was correct and that wiring already in—that he did not put in—was safe and sufficient."

"The state said this was

merely a matter of record. There never has been any question about the wiring. Electricians have worked on the wiring many times to improve it and see that it was safe."

Ray Determan, an electrical contractor here, said yesterday he was prepared, at O'Sullivan's request, to write the letter requested by the state but had not yet done so. He pointed out that the state's inspection was made only last Thursday.

Discussing the condition of the 65-year-old building from the aspect of safety, O'Sullivan said:

"We put ceramic tile in all the bathrooms and we put tile in the kitchen, extending from the floor to the ceiling. We had a concrete floor in the kitchen. We took these precautions because we thought the kitchen was potentially the most likely source of a fire."

"About a year ago, I moved the heating plant a block away from the building. I was not ordered to do this by anybody and there was no law or regulation that said I had to do it. It did it on my own because I regarded it as a safety measure."

"I believe I did talk with an inspector about this. I think he thought it would be a good idea for me to move the heating plant out of the building."

O'Sullivan acknowledged that the building had no fire-alarm system or interior water sprinklers.

He said the employees were trained in methods of evacuating patients in case of fire and

rooms and the four wards in the building consisted of rock lath covered by plaster, the nursing home head said.

Beyond Requests.

"Anything suggested or recommended by the people—by that, I mean any inspector or relative of a patient—to improve safety, we have done and, in many cases, have gone even beyond their requests," O'Sullivan contended.

Emphasizing his concern with the safety of patients, O'Sullivan said that eight months ago he had the laundry moved from the basement under the women's dormitory to a location away from the building.

He did this, he said, because some of the equipment was heated with gas.

"There were pilot lights and

flames," he stated. "We felt any blaze in the building was more or less a hazard."

O'Sullivan said he carried liability insurance for visitors, none for patients. He was unable immediately to determine the amount of this insurance.

On the building, which he valued at \$200,000, he had only \$22,000 in insurance, enough to cover a mortgage.

Mrs. Clara Cook, assistant superintendent at the nursing home, agreed with O'Sullivan that all nurses and other personnel had been instructed in the use of fire extinguishers and in fire-evacuation methods. She said contents of extinguishers were checked periodically.

"It's still hard to understand how the building could have burned so fast," Mrs. Cook declared.

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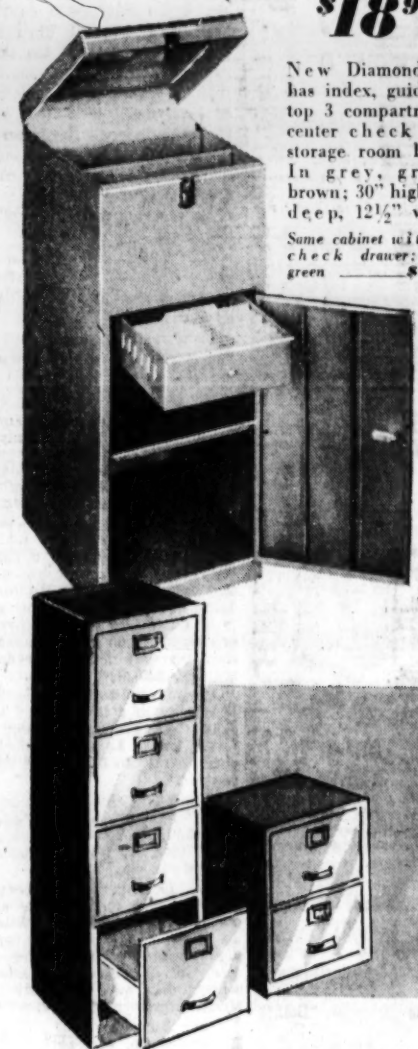
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BRIDEGROOM HIT WITH PISTOL IN TAVERN ROBBERY

10 in Wedding Party Forced to Lie on Floor — \$55 Stolen From Owner.

Ten members of a wedding party, celebrating at the Katyd Tavern, 2201 Madison street, were forced to lie on the floor last night by a robber, who struck the bridegroom on the head with a pistol when he was slow in obeying the robber's command.

Mrs. Carine Eastham, the owner, was behind the bar when the robber, a Negro about 40 years old, walked in and fired two shots into the floor. She was ordered to lie down while the man rifled the register of \$55.

The robber entered a rear room, where the wedding party of James and Ann Shaw had been hushed by the shots.

"Everybody get down on the floor," the man directed, waving the pistol. The bride, in white gown and gloves, joined her friends on the floor. Shaw stood until the robber struck him on the head with the pistol. The robber fled without attempting to rob the wedding party. Shaw, of 2504 North Twenty-second street, was not seriously injured.

About an hour later a robber answering the same description forced Mrs. Vera Monroe, barmaid, and three customers to lie on the floor in Leo Seiler's tavern, 3646 St. Louis avenue. He took \$241 from the register, and fled.

A man who bought a bottle of whisky in a liquor store at 2201 Cass avenue last night asked Joseph Lamia, the manager, to step to the end of the counter.

"I want to show you something," the customer, a Negro, remarked. He showed Lamia a pistol, took \$70 from the register and ran out.

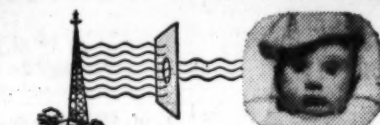
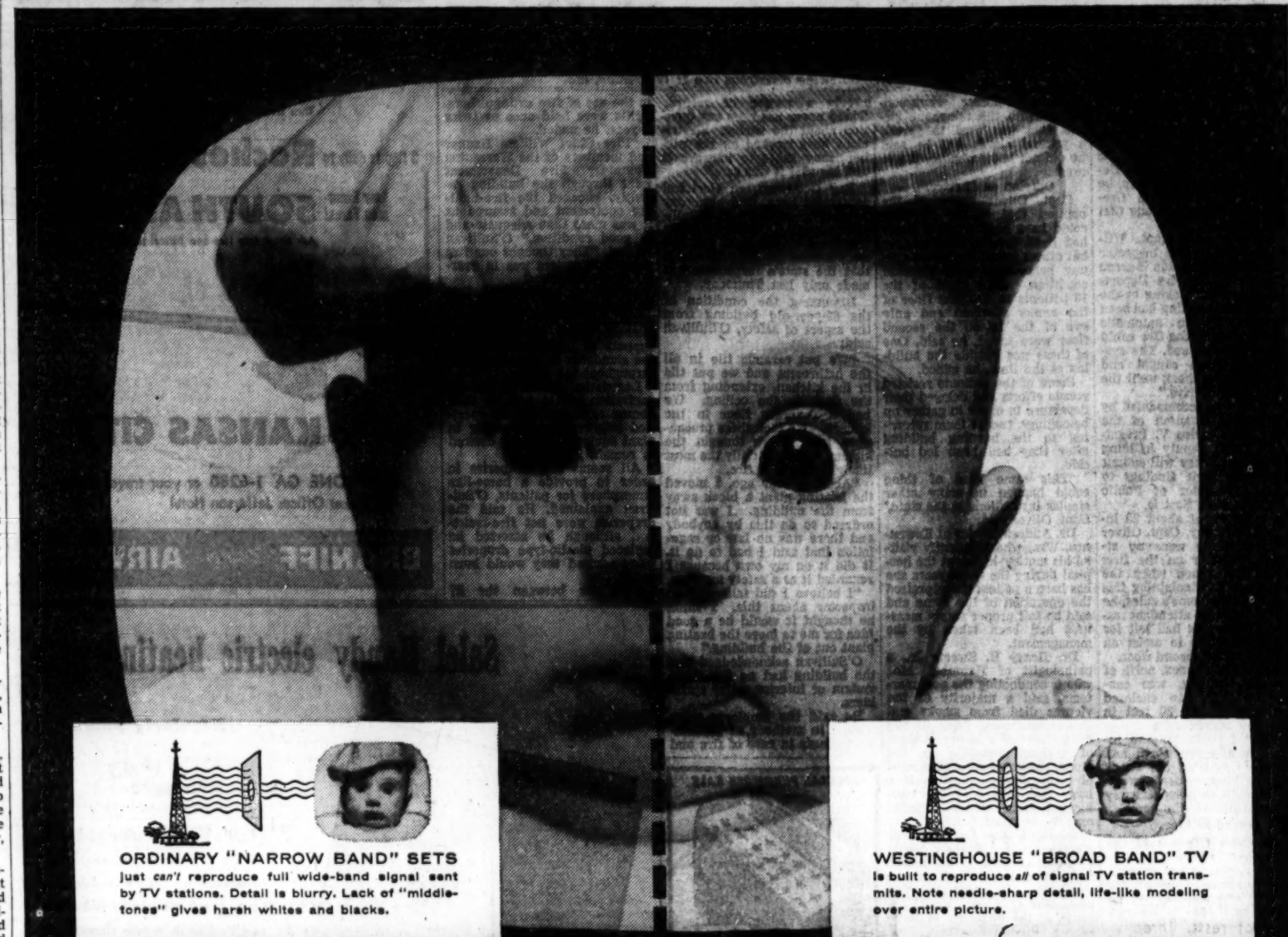
Mrs. Gertrude Westenberg, operator of a confectionery at 2931 Ivanhoe avenue, was held up early last night by two youths who took \$40 and drove away in an automobile. One robber displayed a revolver, Mrs. Westenberg reported.

Leroy Bode, driver of a Public Service Co. bus, parked at the loop at North Broadway and East Taylor avenue last midnight, was held up by an armed Negro, who took \$41 and fled in an automobile.

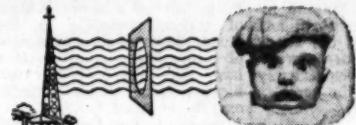
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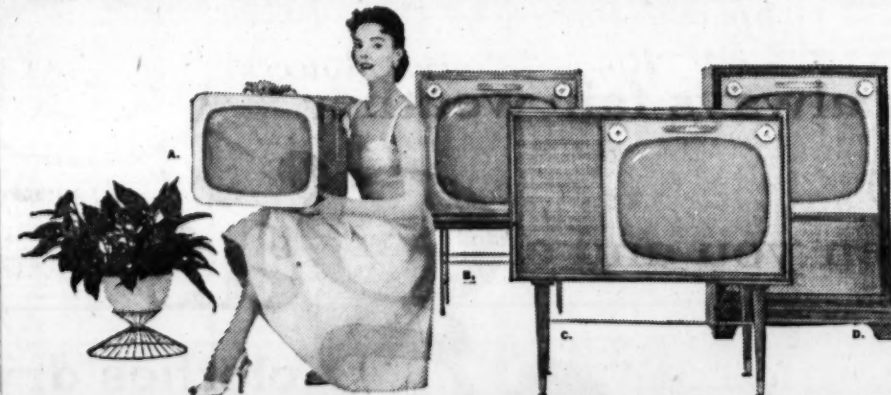
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\$12,100,000 IN 1955 BONDS SOLD BY CITY

Purchase by Syndicate
Headed by Bankers Trust
of New York.

St. Louis sold \$12,100,000 of
its bonds today to a syndicate

headed by the Bankers Trust
Co. of New York and including
three St. Louis brokerage firms.
The bonds are part of the \$110-
639,000 issue approved by the
voters in 1955 for civic improve-
ments.

Seven syndicates participated
in the bidding, which was close.
Net cost to the city for interest
payments on the bonds, the last
of which will be retired in 1976,
will be \$4,055,627.

Considering the \$4598 pre-

mium offered by the Bankers
Trust Co. syndicate for the
bonds, the effective interest
rate is 2.676355 per cent. City
officials said this interest rate
will permit the city to retire
the bonds at no increase in the
present tax rate.

St. Louis brokerage firms par-
ticipating in the winning bid are
Newhard, Cook Co.; Reinhold
& Gardner and I. M. Simon &
Co.

Current projects to be financed

under the 1955 bond issue in-
clude \$2,055,000 for bridges and
abutments, including the Mc-
Causland-Southwest grade sepa-
ration and the Spring avenue
viaduct; \$1,500,000, street light-
ing; \$1,482,000, parks and recrea-
tion; \$2,000,000, acquisition of
routes for expressways.

Also scheduled to be under-
taken this year are projects in-
volving the following expendi-
tures: \$1,258,000, hospitals and
health centers; \$796,000, street
improvements; \$750,000, slum

clearance, and \$354,000, fire de-
partment buildings.

Last year, the city sold \$12-
150,000 of its 1955-approved
bonds. The effective interest
rate then was 2.164327, with the
interest cost to the city fixed
at \$3,299,371 for retiring the
bonds.

INDIA MASS CHILD MARRIAGE

NEW DELHI, Feb. 19 (AP)—
Press reports reaching New

Delhi today told of the mass
marriage of 750 couples, most
of them 4 to 16 years old. The
reports said the ceremony took
place Sunday night at Bikaner,
200 miles west of New Delhi.

Although illegal, child mar-
riages persist in India. The re-
ports said most of those wed at
Bikaner belonged to the Push-
karna Brahmin community,
whose customs provide for
members of the caste to gather
every four years to arrange the
nuptials of their children.

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U.S. Uranium Sent to Holland.
NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (AP)—
Six hundred and twenty grams
of enriched uranium ore were
sent by plane yesterday to The
Netherlands — the first such
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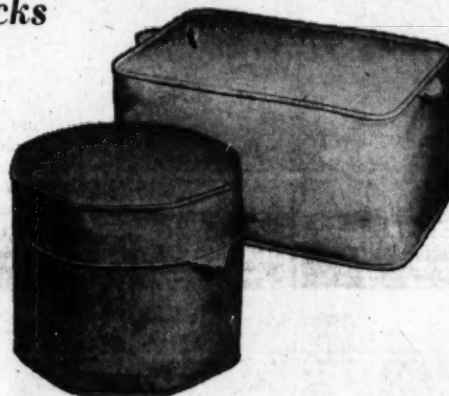
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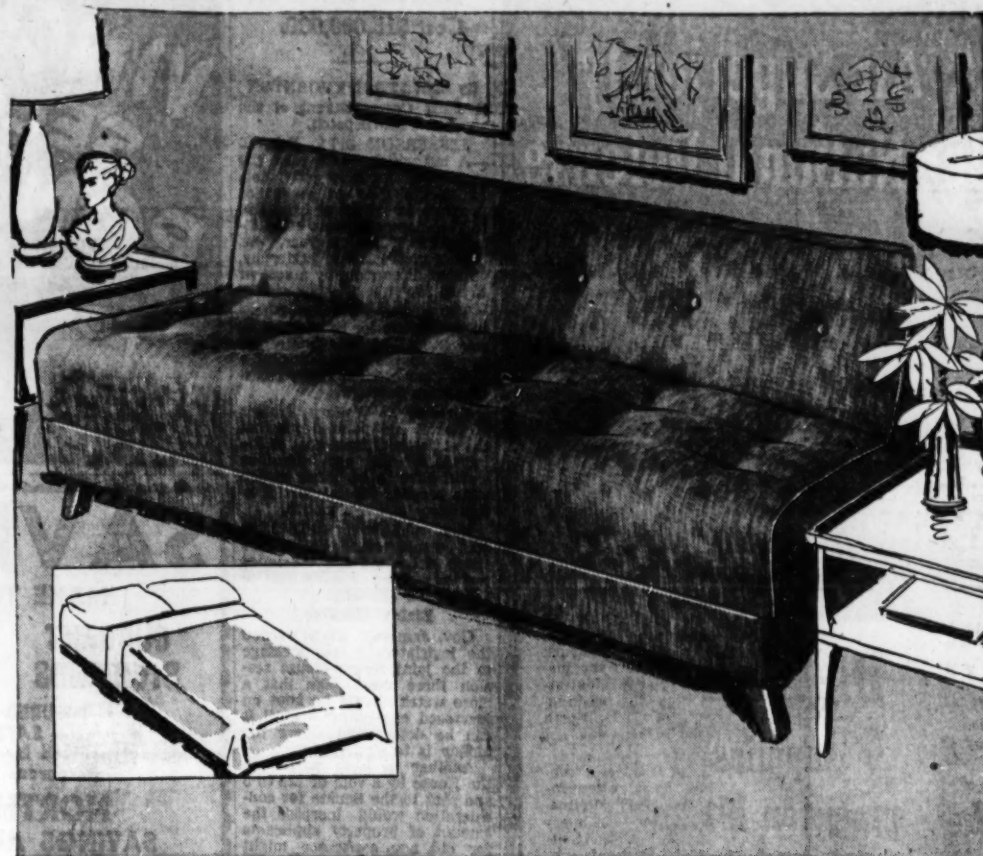
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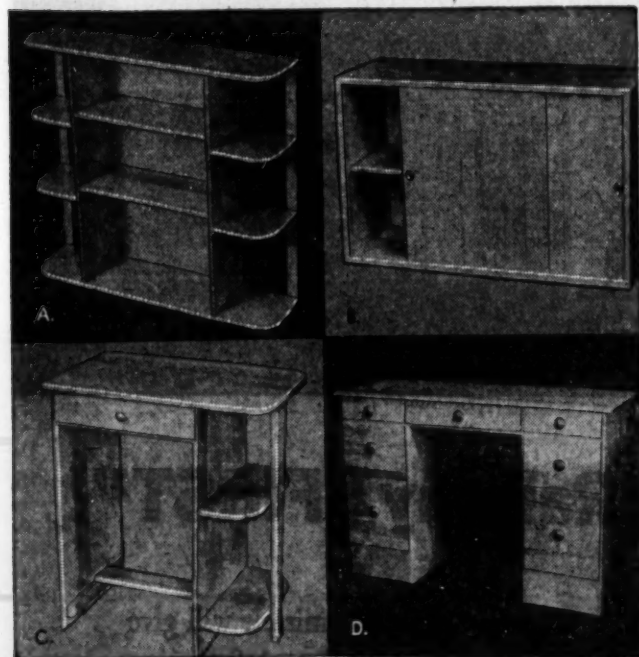
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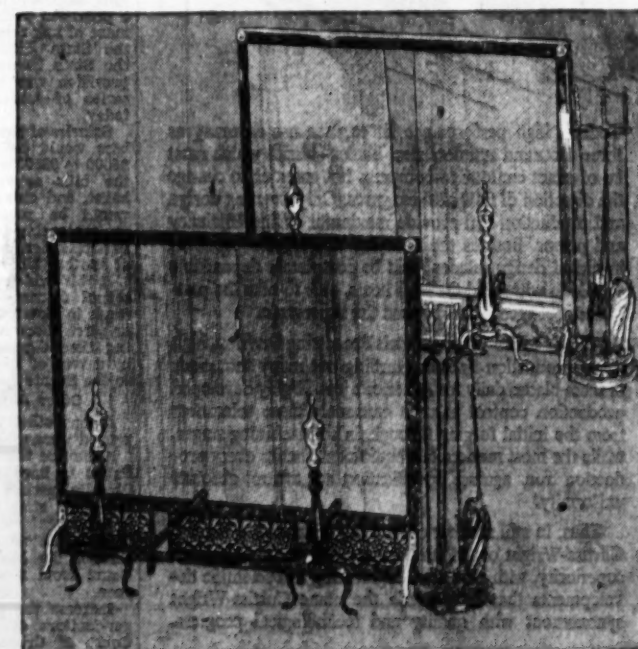
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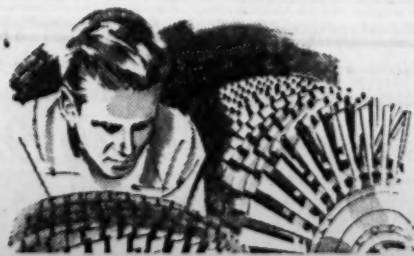
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MISSOURI HOUSE VOTES OLD AGE PENSION BOOST

Bill Sent to Senate
Would Raise Maxi-
mum Payment to \$70,
Cost \$15,000,000.

By EDWARD H. THORNTON
A Staff Correspondent of the
Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19.—A bill which would raise the maximum monthly payments under the old age assistance program in Missouri from \$60 to \$70, increasing state expenditures \$15,000,000 a year, was passed in the House yesterday, without discussion, by a vote of 124 to 10.

The measure, which now goes to the Senate for consideration, was one of 15 bills finally approved in the House during a three-hour session. Three measures were defeated.

Director of Welfare Proctor N. Carter has pointed out that the entire additional cost of the increased old age pensions would have to be borne by the state because federal participation stops at \$60 a month.

The additional \$15,000,000 cost would raise the state's share in the old age assistance program from \$28,000,000 to \$43,000,000 annually.

Blair's Warning.

Gov. James T. Blair warned the legislators in his message to the joint Senate-House session three weeks ago that a close watch should be kept on increased expenditures until it can be determined where the money is to come from.

Another measure passed in the House by a vote of 125 to 5 and sent to the Senate for consideration would increase the amount of property applicants for old age assistance might own and still be eligible for benefits under the program.

Emergency appropriations totaling \$4,986,165 sought by various state departments and agencies for operation during the balance of the current fiscal year, ending June 30, would be provided in another measure finally passed and sent to the Senate. The amount provided is \$441,811 less than had been asked and recommended.

County Tavern Bill.

A bill which would permit municipalities in St. Louis county to authorize taverns within their boundaries to remain open until 1:30 a.m. on Sundays was passed today in the House 85 to 37. The measure, sponsored by Representative Raymond B. Hopfinger (Dem.), Berkeley, now goes to the Senate for consideration.

Passage of the bill has been urged by county tavern owners who contend they have suffered loss of patronage Saturday nights because customers bypass their establishments and go to taverns in St. Louis. The latter are permitted to remain open until 1:30 a.m. Sunday under a law enacted at the last session of the Legislature. County taverns must close at midnight Saturday.

Would Revise Parole System.

A series of bills introduced today by Representative Chalm H. Zimbalist (Dem.), University City, would revise Missouri's probation and parole system. A single bill incorporating all the provisions of the current series of measures passed last session, but was vetoed by former Gov. Phil M. Donnelly. It included a provision prohibiting appointment of any former member of the State Highway Patrol to the State Parole Board. That provision was left out of the series of measures submitted today.

Salaries of parole board members would be increased from \$5000 to \$8500 a year by one of the bills submitted by Zimbalist, and circuit court judges would be required to order pre-sentencing investigations of first offenders under provisions of another bill.

A bill which would permit school districts to invest idle funds in Government securities, or place them on interest-bearing time deposits, was passed by a vote of 130 to 2 and sent to the Senate for consideration.

Other Bills Passed.

Among other bills finally approved were measures to: Authorize the State Highway Patrol to have abandoned and illegally parked automobiles towed off state highways after 48 hours.

Raise the salary of the marshal of the Missouri Supreme Court from \$4500 to \$5600 a year.

Increase the pay of messenger-janitors of the St. Louis Court of Criminal Correction \$300 a year.

Permit leasing of concessions in public parks in St. Louis and Jackson counties.

Raise fees of grand and petit jurors in circuit court from \$3 to \$6 a day.

Permit non-lawyers to hold office as magistrate-probate judges in third and fourth class counties. This would be through constitutional amendment.

Another proposed constitutional amendment which would

authorize municipalities in Missouri to issue bonds for industrial development purposes passed the House by a vote of 119 to 12. A companion measure, a bill spelling out the procedure to be followed in issuing bonds to provide money for construction of facilities to be leased or sold to industry, is pending in the House.

Defeated Measures.

Measures defeated on the House floor would have: Granted mandatory continu-

ances to legislators, or lawyer-legislators acting in behalf of a client, during a legislative session, in hearings before administrative bodies, such as the liquor control office.

Required covers on trucks hauling sand, gravel and many other materials on public roads and highways.

Permitted public school teachers in outstate Missouri to come under the federal social security program if they desired.

Representative Francis M.

O'Brien (Rep.), St. Louis, and a group of other members of the St. Louis delegation introduced two measures pertaining to the St. Louis magistrate courts. One would increase the magistrates' salaries from \$8000 to \$9500 a year.

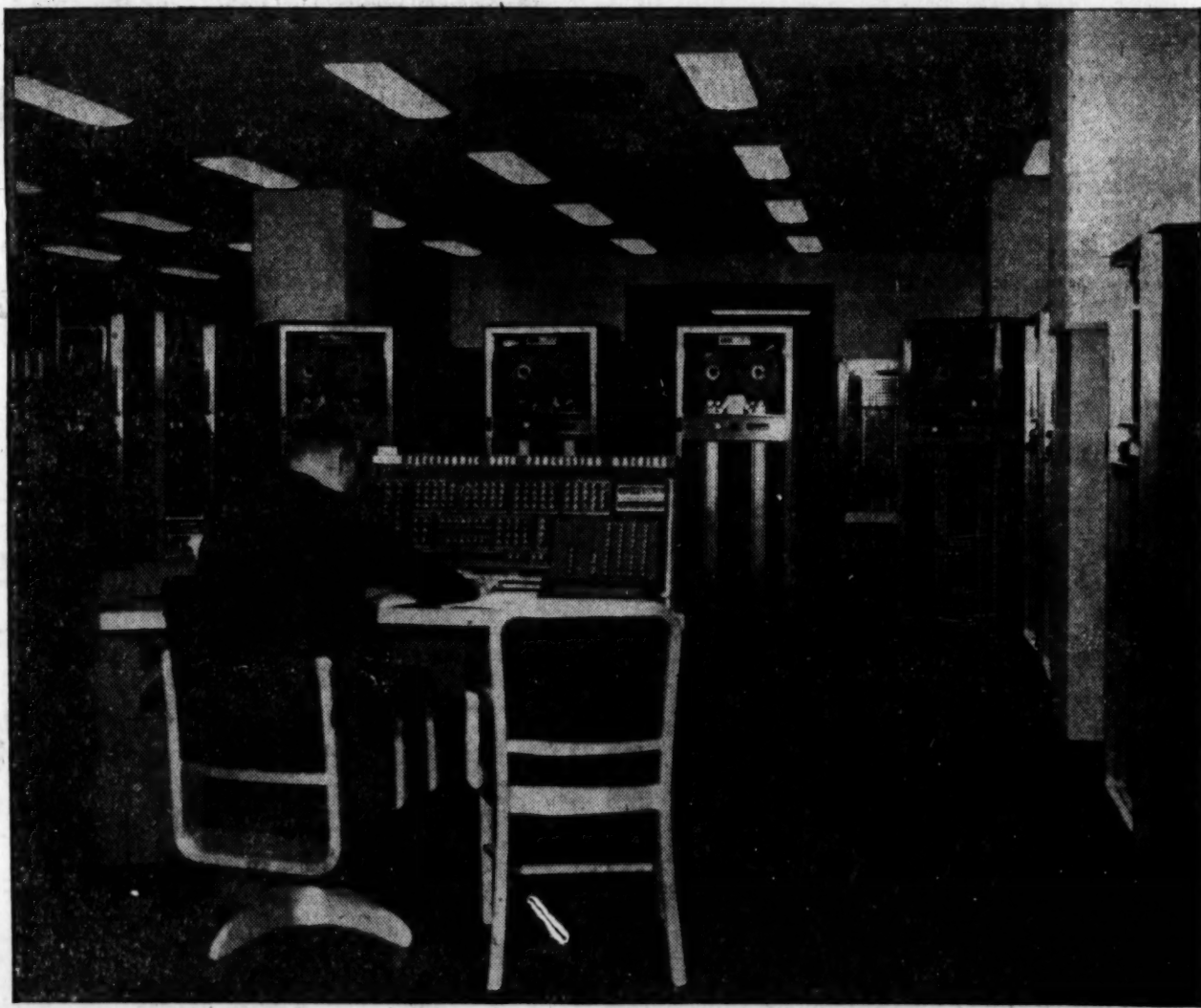
The other would raise the amount of damages which might be sought in civil actions in magistrate court from \$1500 to \$2500.

O'Brien said this measure would reduce the number of civil suits filed in circuit court from 10 to 15 per cent, thus lightening the circuit court docket.

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PRESIDENT CUTS SHORT VACATION IN MIDEAST CRISIS

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Saltonstall, ranking minority member of the Armed Services Committee, and Senator Everett Dirksen, assistant minority leader.

Democratic leaders who have been critical of the President's Middle Eastern policy include Speaker Sam Rayburn and Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson, both of Texas, assistant Senate Leader Mike Mansfield of Montana, chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, and Senator Thomas Hennings Jr. of Missouri, secretary of the Senate Democratic Policy Committee.

Hagerty Uses Soft Pedal. Hagerty declined yesterday to concede that the present Israeli situation was "serious" or "an emergency" which required the President's personal attention. He merely said that the President wanted to be in Washington while the discussions or debates on this matter are before the United Nations.

The President decided last Friday, after he had conferred with Dulles and UN Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., that he might have to shorten his holiday, Hagerty said. He had planned to stay through Friday.

Saturday Dulles issued a statement which seemed to threaten American support of stronger United Nations resolutions if Israel did not withdraw its troops from Egyptian territory. Sunday the President issued an extraordinary statement saying that the United States had given its "maximum assurance" for a settlement.

Hagerty refused to comment when reporters asked him whether the President and Dulles had reached a decision on the position the United States would take at the UN Assembly. Hagerty denied reports the President was planning to address the assembly.

Hagerty denied that a rasping cough which has bothered the President had any part in the decision to return earlier to Washington. The sore throat apparently was caused by the cold weather at the inaugural ceremonies and was aggravated by the dust and cold in the trip to the drouth areas.

U.N. GIVES ISRAEL 48 HOURS TO ACT ON EGYPT CRISIS

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oppose with all its skill such a proposal (sanctions) if it is formally made."

Eban was scheduled to depart by plane today from New York for Israel to confer with Ben-Gurion. Israel Foreign Minister Golda Meir remained here to participate in private meetings with representatives of other nations. It is known that many of them, sympathetic with Israel's plight, have urged it to comply with U.N. requests.

Could Regain Good Will. It was the consensus of many western delegations here that by accepting offers of security interest in their U.N. Assembly addresses and the official expressions of good intentions from Dulles and the President, Israel could readily regain much of the good will it has lost by persistent refusal however justified to obey assembly directives.

Except for representatives of the Russian Communist bloc and Arab spokesmen, speakers have condemned the invasion of Egypt by Israel but have recognized the provocations which led to it. They have insisted, however, that Israeli withdrawal was the prerequisite of any settlement of the disputes, agreeing measures must be taken to end hostilities.

On the other hand, Egypt has declined to discuss settlement of the conflicts until Israeli troops and civil administrators are removed from the Gaza and Agaba areas or to consider renouncing the "state of belligerency" with Israel by which it justifies blockading the Gulf of Agaba, refusing access of Israeli ships to the Suez canal.

Dulles said Feb. 13 that the United States would have to give "serious consideration" to sanctions against Israel if the U.N. asked for them, and Mr. Eisenhower said Sunday Israel already has received "the maximum assurance it can reasonably expect at this juncture."

(But powerful opposition against United States support for sanctions was voiced by Senator William F. Knowland, the Republican leader in the Senate, as well as by Johnson. Knowland was reported consid-

ering quitting the United States delegation to the U.N. Assembly if the Eisenhower Administration backs action to single out Israel for sanctions, while Russia, Egypt and India go unpunished for their defiance of U.N. Assembly or Security Council resolutions.)

U.S. AGENCY OK'S \$920,000 PLAZA HOUSING SITE BID

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of 5 per cent on \$920,000 valuation is to be payable semi-annually.

The redeveloper may exercise the right to purchase the land in fee simple at any time during or at the end of the term of the lease by paying the \$920,000 purchase price plus the rental payment due for the current semi-annual period. Part of the land designated for residential reuse likewise may be purchased in the interim.

The redeveloper is to be credited with 35 per cent of lease rentals already paid, the credit to apply only on the final payment for purchase of the land. This is the provision

which reduces annual interest on the \$920,000 loan from 5 per cent to 3 1/2.

The \$100,000 deposit made when the redevelopment corporation submitted its original bid is to be retained by the Land Clearance Authority to insure completion of the project.

4 Conditions Specified. When it increased its bid from \$420,000 to \$920,000 last month to meet a price of \$3.20 per square foot set by federal agencies in estimating the reuse value of the Plaza property, the corporation specified four conditions. One was the \$920,000 Government loan at interest not to exceed 3 1/2 per cent. The others were:

A satisfactory FHA mortgage insurance commitment.

The redeveloper would have the right to put up a tall office building in the block bounded by Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Pine and Olive streets should this prove desirable after the housing project is developed.

The redeveloper must be assured that the housing project can be satisfactorily financed. (This means a loan to finance construction of the apartments,

a project which will require an investment of \$16,000,000 to \$17,000,000.)

The Urban Renewal Administration said these other conditions should not present any obstacle. It is believed that the Board of Aldermen would have to approve modification of the redevelopment plan for erection of an office building.

STOLEN AUTO RECOVERED AFTER CHASE AND GUNFIRE

A stolen automobile was recovered last night by Lynch Street District police following a chase in which revolver shots were fired at the two occupants, who jumped out and fled on foot.

Sgt. Victor Gallo and two policemen in a scout car gave

chase after seeing the machine being driven recklessly at Eleventh street and Allen avenue. At Twelfth and Souldard streets the occupants stopped the machine and ran toward Thirteenth street. The officers captured a 21-year-old man, who dropped to the sidewalk when they fired at him. He was not injured. His 16-year-old companion was arrested a short time later.

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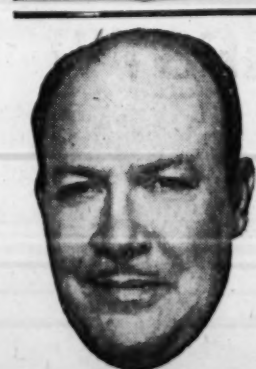
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TEXAS ORDERS BOOST IN OUTPUT OF CRUDE OIL

Rise of 210,901 Barrels Daily for March Over February for European Aid.

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 19 (AP)—The Texas Railroad Commission today ordered an increase of 210,901 barrels daily in crude oil production for March compared with February.

The United States government as well as governments in Europe have sought a major increase in the Texas oil allowable to take the place of Middle East oil whose delivery was halted or slowed by the blockage of the Suez canal.

Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, said last Friday that the Texas allowable for February was 3,543,672 barrels a day, an increase of 241,549 barrels daily since October.

Last month's oil production in Texas was a record high. Felix E. Wormser, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, told the House Commerce Committee in Washington Friday that an increase of about 250,000 barrels of oil a day from the United States would meet Europe's needs.

Texas oil authorities always have said they would increase the oil flow to help Europe provided they could do so without waste, that there was transportation to get it to Gulf of Mexico ports, and ships to carry it to Europe.

Independent producers and others also have suggested that oil imports into the United States, principally from South America, be reduced and the oil sent to Europe. What many producers call "excessive oil imports" long has been a matter of dispute between the independent producers and the major oil companies.

The railroad commission is the oil regulatory body in Texas.

BIG PROFIT BOOST REPORTED SLATED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (UP)—A Senate oil investigation has disclosed that Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey figured in December that a price boost would net \$100,000,000 a year.

Investigation Chairman Joseph C. O'Mahoney (Dem., Wyoming), announced yesterday that the \$100,000,000 net profit was figured on the basis of a 25-cent-a-barrel increase in the price of crude oil.

O'Mahoney made the disclosure as both the Senate and House continued investigations today into oil price increases and emergency oil shipments to Europe since the Suez crisis.

O'Mahoney's group—the combined Senate Anti-Trust and Public Lands subcommittees—called Assistant Interior Secretary Felix E. Wormser and Hugh A. Stewart, Interior Department oil and gas chief. The House Commerce Committee called Jersey Standard President M. J. Rathbone.

O'Mahoney said that Jersey Standard records subpoenaed by his subcommittees showed that company executives discussed a price increase Dec. 13.

He said the executives were told a special study showed that the Suez crisis would have almost "no effect" on the company's net earnings in 1956, estimated at \$800,000,000.

The study said the company's European affiliates would get enough higher-priced business to offset any shortages caused elsewhere.

The executives then were told "it is estimated that at the present volume of business the consolidated net earnings would rise at an annual rate of \$100,000,000 if an increase of 25 cents a barrel occurred in the price of crude."

Jersey Standard President Rathbone told the House committee today that major oil companies did not increase prices to take advantage of the Suez crisis, but because of increased production costs.

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NURSING HOME BILL APPROVED BY SENATE UNIT

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is that it would divide nursing homes into three categories: (1) Those with residents requiring professional nursing care; (2) those with residents requiring practical nursing care; and (3) those in which patients need only "domestic" and personal care.

Spradling pointed out that one of the essential elements in avoiding disasters like that at Warrenton is to make certain that bedfast patients be attended at all times by sufficient personnel so that they can be moved out promptly in the event of an emergency.

Bill Can Be Amended. When Governor Blair entered the oak-paneled Senate lounge

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last night to make his plea for prompt action on the bill, the room was crowded to capacity. He was applauded. He introduced his remarks by saying that the Spradling bill could be amended, as it went through the legislative process, if it were not strong enough.

"The bill before you may have to be amended," Blair said. "It may need additional teeth to strengthen it. Investigations now under way by various state agencies may develop facts which show the need for amendment."

"The tragedy at Warrenton is something that shouldn't have happened, but did happen. It is a thing that must be prevented from ever happening again. The first step is to place the division of health in a position where it can make proper inspections and properly police these nursing homes."

"The quickest action we can take in this regard is with this legislation. I hope you send it on its way at the earliest possible moment, and as far as I am concerned, that is tonight."

The division of health at present, Blair told the committee, has a staff of only 17 persons to handle nursing home licensing and inspection, and they cannot devote full time to the job because of other duties. He said the state had 603 nursing homes, of which 277 were not even licensed, and the total bed capacity is 13,301.

Blair said that while the errors of the past could not be undone, it was obvious that an adequate staff for inspection of nursing homes would have to be provided. For that reason, he said, he as Governor was

going to have to withdraw from the position he had taken on fiscal policy—that the state should not launch any programs involving increased expenditures until it knew where it stood financially.

"If it costs more to do the right kind of a job," he said, "we must not hold back on account of a few dollars. Human lives are more important than dollars. This is one of those emergencies that occur in government, and it is one we must handle at this session of the legislature."

Action Imperative. Blair said he did not want to be in the position of trying to

dictate to the Legislature, nor was it his intention to "make a speech over 71 corpses." He emphasized, however, that the nursing home situation had to be improved and that action now was imperative.

The Governor handed to reporters a report he received yesterday from Dr. James R. Amos, director of the division of health. The report said that as of Feb. 1 7627 patients were in licensed homes in Missouri and 5674 were in unlicensed homes. More than 3000 patients were bedfast.

In the report, which was prepared by Dr. H. M. Hardwicke, head of the bureau of

gerontology, the division of health said that during 1956, 12 nursing home cases were referred to prosecuting attorneys for prosecution. The 12 homes apparently are still operating, the report said.

In 1955 the Legislature enacted a new nursing home act sponsored by Representatives A. Clifford Jones (Rep.) and Chaim H. Zimballist (Dem.) of St. Louis county. The law was held to be invalid because it exempted certain institutions and did not apply alike to all nursing homes in the state.

With the reconvening of the House yesterday afternoon, Zimballist and Representative

Samuel B. Murphy (Rep.), Kirkwood, immediately introduced a measure which would require nursing homes to be equipped with automatic, heat-controlled fire alarm systems, or with automatic sprinkler systems.

The House bill provides that any operator of a nursing home or similar institution whose establishment was not equipped with the specified devices would be guilty of a felony, punishable on conviction by a maximum of two years in prison and \$1000 fine.

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SENATE GROUP CLASSIFIES DATA GIVEN IN PUBLIC

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (UP)—The Defense Department, in an action believed to be without precedent, has persuaded a Senate subcommittee to put security wraps on the stenographic record of testimony given in public by Army witnesses before congressional committees.

Congressional sources said today the now-classified testimony deals with the availability of small atomic weapons. The testimony was presented before a task force of the Senate Preparedness subcommittee, which has been looking into Defense Department plans for closing three ordnance plants. Informed sources said the Pentagon first asked that 14 or 15 pages of the hearing transcript be classified because it was "administratively confidential." The task force, headed by Senator Estes Kefauver (Dem.), Tennessee, is understood to have rejected the administrative classification. When the Pentagon insisted that security information was involved Kefauver directed that the testimony be transferred from the regular public transcript to the executive session secret transcript, informants said.

DULLES EXPECTS FREE SHIPPING IN AQABA GULF

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cent passage," which is used in connection with the ships that might use the gulf, has a long-established meaning in international law. It signifies, he said, that a ship is sailing without the intention of doing injury to anyone. Asked whether, in the event of an Israeli troop withdrawal from the gulf area, Egypt could search ships to determine whether they were in fact bent on mischief, Dulles replied he was not sure of all the implications.

Asked whether the United States had received any assurances from the Egyptian government that Egypt would respect the right of innocent passage through the strait, Dulles replied the United States was not conducting any negotiations with the Egyptian government, that United Nations Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld was in touch with the Egyptian foreign minister and that the United States would not cut across the U.N.

Asked whether the United States had been in contact with the Egyptian government, as distinguished from being engaged in negotiations, Dulles said that the United States ambassador, Raymond Hare, had a long talk in Cairo with President Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt but that the subject matter involved affairs of direct concern to the two countries, such as frozen Egyptian funds. The Secretary said discussions with Israel were not definitely closed and that he had hope Israel would conclude it was wise to withdraw its armed forces from the Gaza strip and the Gulf of Aqaba area. This Government has no new plans to propose to the U.N., he said, but may go to the U.N. with a program or may study the programs of others, he did not know.

If Israel remains adamant, Dulles was asked, would the United States be prepared to support sanctions to enforce compliance with U.N. directives. That matter, Dulles said, would be discussed tomorrow at a presidential conference with congressional leaders and he would not anticipate anything. He observed there are all kinds of sanctions, moral, economic and military, some of which could be directed by Congress and some by the executive branch.

Dulles, turning to the specific subject of the Suez canal, said that when the waterway is opened ships of all nations should be allowed to pass through it. He said he did not think Egypt should delay the work of U.N. salvage crews clearing out wreckage resulting from the Israeli-British-French invasion of Egypt last year. The United States would deplore any Egyptian slow-down move, Dulles said.

Dulles was asked to comment on a statement made by Senator Theodore Francis Green (Dem.), Rhode Island, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, that the United States should extend diplomatic recognition "sooner or later" to Communist China.

His reply was that while none of us is talking about eternity, the country should not forget too fast the Chinese Communist record of aggression.

Heuss Has Respiratory Illness.
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U.S. URGES PLAN TO END AID FOR ARAB REFUGEES

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UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Feb. 19—The United States promised another financial contribution to the United Nations' aid program for Palesti-

nian Arab refugees yesterday but advised also that the operation prepare to wind up. The present program, covering aid to 922,000 refugees in four Arab states, is scheduled to run out in 1960. The United States pays more than 70 per cent of the budget of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestinian refugees. Mrs. Oswald B. Lord, United

States delegate, asked that the agency and the Arab countries draft specific proposals on how best to provide for the refugees' future. These would be submitted to the next General Assembly session, she said. She suggested also that agency funds be used for economic programs that benefit the refugee population by improving conditions generally. At present, funds must be spent on programs directly aimed at making the refugees self-supporting.

SENATE APPROVES CITATIONS AGAINST TWO UNION BOSSES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Senate today voted approval of contempt citations against Frank W. Brewster and Einar O. Mohn, top officials of the Teamsters union who refused to answer questions in a racketeering investigation. Brewster is head of the West-

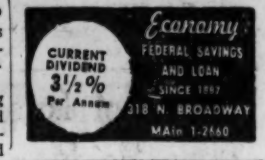
ern Conference of Teamsters, with headquarters at Seattle, and also an international vice president of the union. Mohn is the executive vice president with offices here. Also cited for contempt were two lesser officials of the giant Teamsters union, Nugent LaPoma (also known as George Cavano), secretary treasurer of Local 174 in Seattle, and Harry Reese, administrator of the welfare fund of local 227 in New York City. Senate investigators said yesterday one of their witnesses, a New York Carpenters' Union official, had been "threatened with bodily harm if he talks to us."

Robert F. Kennedy, counsel to the special Senate committee investigating alleged racketeering in labor unions and industry, told reporters the target of the threat was Anthony Nicoletti, financial secretary of the Suffolk County Carpenters Union. He said the committee is prepared to act vigorously to protect its witnesses.

ASKS FOR DISMISSAL OF SUIT

DETROIT, Feb. 19 (AP)—General Motors Corp. asked United States District Judge Arthur F. Lederle yesterday to dismiss anti-trust charges against its truck and coach division. The Federal Government opposed the move. The action came in opening statements of the suit, filed last summer, in which the Department of Justice charged

that General Motors was conspiring to monopolize the nation's motor bus industry. Judge Lederle adjourned the hearing until March 26.



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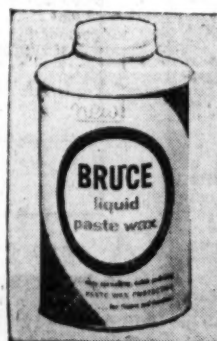
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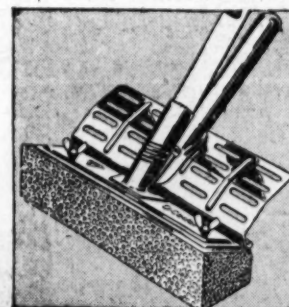


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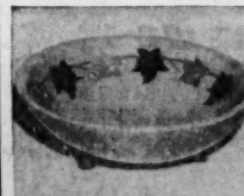
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Recall of Israel's Envoy Raises Hope He May Convince Nation U.S. 'Assurances' Are Reliable

Eban Expected to Report Washington Is Genuinely Sympathetic Toward Aims of Israelis Despite Feeling Dulles Has Left Himself 'Lawyer's Loopholes.'

By DONALD GRANT

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Feb. 19.

IT WAS THE UNDISGUISED HOPE of a great many delegates at the United Nations today—particularly the Americans—that the return of Israeli Ambassador Abba Eban to Jerusalem would result in the early withdrawal of Israeli forces from Egyptian territory.

Israel faces the possibility of sanctions for its failure to comply with U.N. action urging its withdrawal. It was hoped, however, that Eban may be able to convince Israeli Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion that United States "assurances" to Israel can be relied on. Once Ben-Gurion is convinced, it was said in Israeli circles here, Israeli forces will be withdrawn.

Some Israelis here believe that the government in Jerusalem is reluctant to trust the highly generalized words of Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, feeling that Dulles has left himself too many "lawyer's loopholes." Dulles has offered United States "help" in solving some of the longer-range problems facing Israel, though insisting that Israel withdraw from Egypt before any action is begun.

What Israel Wants. Eban, it is known, told Dulles that Israel wants, quite simply, an Arab gulf free of blockade and a Gaza strip free of raiding Arab fedayeen. The United States, Eban is said now to believe, is genuinely sympathetic toward these Israeli aims, and the Israeli ambassador will report this in Jerusalem.

What the Ben-Gurion Government must then decide, it is said, is whether the problem may safely be left to solution until after Israel has abandoned its positions in Egypt—and much of its bargaining position in world councils.

Spokesmen for the United States delegation are saying clearly, in interpreting the American memorandum to Israel and the statement by President Eisenhower, that Israel will not get more specific assurances until it withdraws its forces completely from Egypt, in compliance with U.N. resolutions. The American view is placed by spokesmen on two grounds.

As Far As It Can Go. Publicly, they repeat the principle of compliance with U.N. action, and the further principle that aggression should not be rewarded. Privately, they add that the United States has gone as far as it can in giving Israel assurances, and perhaps farther than it should go, without alienating the Arab countries and other nations in the Asian-African group, as well.

An American spokesman yesterday, for instance, openly expressed the hope that "Eban is going back to get his instructions changed." He later qualified the statement by adding that he referred to the State Department view that Eban had not been "responsive" to the American memorandum offering help to achieve Israel's aims. He declined to say what the American attitude would be on the issue of U.N. sanctions against Israel.

The Egyptian delegates were telling other members of the Asian-African group that they were "getting angry" at the delay in forcing the withdrawal of Israel. They were reported to have said that "direct action" by Egyptian forces was under consideration.

Russia's Attitude. A more persuasive argument was the attitude of Soviet Russia, which obviously hopes to make use of the delay by posing as the sole "friend of the Arabs" among the great powers.

Eban, it is learned, will report fully to Ben-Gurion and the Israeli Cabinet on official and unofficial American views and fears. Eban's own opinion, it is known, is that the American position is realistic.

Johnson to Let Goldwater Read Washington's Speech. —Senator Lyndon B. Johnson (Dem.), Texas, told the Senate yesterday that although he had not been consulted, he was not going to object to having Senator Barry Goldwater (Rep.), Arizona, read Washington's farewell address to the Senate Friday.

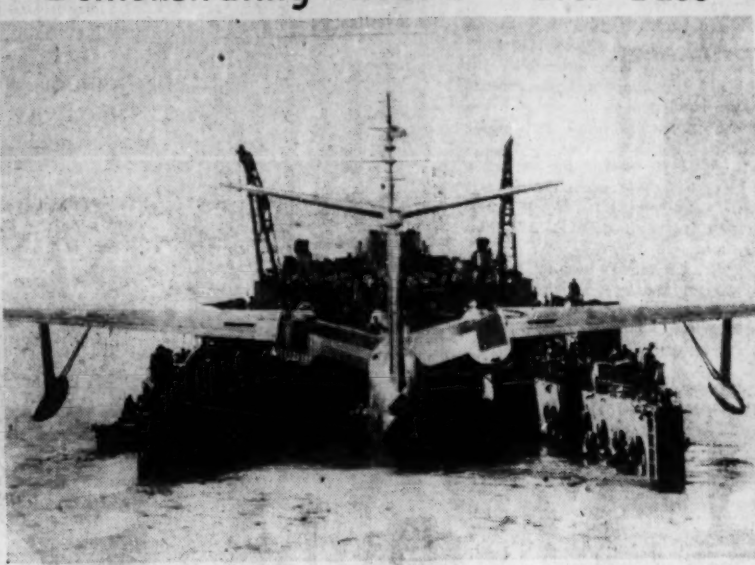
Johnson, the Senate Democratic leader, chided the Republicans for permitting Vice President Nixon to announce Goldwater's assignment without consulting him.

The Senate will transact no business Friday, but Johnson said Senators may make speeches if they wish to. Johnson announced the Senate will take an Easter recess from April 18 to April 22.

Soviet-Ceylon Relations. MOSCOW, Feb. 19 (AP)—The Soviet government announced yesterday the establishment of diplomatic relations with Ceylon and the appointment of Vladimir G. Yakovlev as first ambassador. Dr. G. N. Lalasinghe has been appointed Ceylonese ambassador to Moscow, the announcement added.

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Demonstrating Mobile Water Base



A Navy P5M Martin flying boat easing across submerged stern of the landing ship dock Ashland in demonstration yesterday of Navy's new concept of a mobile water base for its seaplane bombers. When plane is aboard, ship's stern gate closes and water is pumped out.

Nations Using Suez Canal Agree On 'Interim' Plan for Operation

LONDON, Feb. 19 (AP).

BRITAIN ANNOUNCED today a majority of countries using the Suez canal have agreed on an "interim" plan for operating the waterway from the time it is cleared until a full international agreement is drawn up.

The plan will soon be placed before United Nations Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld for presentation to Egypt, the Foreign Office said.

The United States joined a large number of other nations in preparing the agreement. The Soviet Union was not included.

There has been no advance indication Egypt would accept the secret proposals.

The 18-nation Suez Canal Users Association was not involved in the plan worked out in secret negotiations at the U.N. and in Washington and London. Britain took the initiative in making the proposals.

World Bank as Agent. The plan is understood to call for a 50-50 split of canal tolls. The payments would go to the World Bank, with half to be credited to Egypt and half to be retained by the bank until its disposition is determined by a final settlement.

The Foreign Office statement said: "We have been consulting with other countries interested in the Suez canal, not only those mentioned in press reports but the majority of other user countries. There now is a general agreement on the necessity for some interim arrangements since the canal will presumably be opened to shipping before negotiations for a long-term settlement have been completed, or even started."

The Foreign Office added: "It is our intention to put a mu-

HUGE SEAPLANE ENTERS FLOATING DRYDOCK AT SEA

ABOARD THE U.S.S. ASHLAND, Chesapeake Bay, Md., Feb. 19 (AP)—The Navy demonstrated one of its newest mobility concepts yesterday, taking a huge seaplane patrol bomber into a floating drydock while both were far at sea.

The delicate operation was performed in the northern Chesapeake bay, about a mile and a half off Maryland's eastern shore, and involved the oldest of the Navy's landing ship docks (LSD) and a two-engine P5M Martin flying boat.

Although the Navy admitted to several prior experiments dating back to last November, yesterday's was the first semi-public demonstration of the new technique. It was for the benefit of about 70 Martin engineers and design specialists, Navy officers from the Pentagon and a handful of newsmen.

With modifications, new floating drydocks will be able to accommodate three such planes at one time.

EL SALVADOR COMPLETES PART OF PAN AMERICAN ROAD

SAN SALVADOR, Feb. 19 (UP)—Construction of the 197-mile El Salvador section of the Pan American Highway has been completed, it was announced today.

Total cost of the Salvadoran section was \$6,308,000, of which El Salvador paid \$4,445,000 and the United States the balance.

Delay Indicated in First Phase of Canal Clearance Job.

CAIRO, Feb. 19—A spokesman for Lt. Gen. Raymond A. Wheeler indicated yesterday that the United Nations salvage team under his command would not be able to meet the scheduled date for the first phase of Suez canal clearance.

Completion of the first phase, Continued on Page 7, Column 4.

Sudan to Ask For U.S. Aid On Nixon Visit

Wants Arms and Economic Help—Trend Is Pro-Western.

By HOMER BIGART

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THE Sudan has decided to ask the United States for economic and military assistance. This was disclosed yesterday by Premier Abdullah Khalil, who said Vice President Richard M. Nixon would visit Khartoum March 14.

Premier Khalil plans to put before Nixon "a solid scheme" for assistance in developing Sudanese agriculture and communications and for more arms to guarantee Sudanese independence.

This huge Moslem country, three times bigger than Texas, could be either a bridge or a dam to Communism in Africa. The trend of the Khalil government is definitely pro-western and, in the Arab League alignment, the government now leans toward Iraq rather than Egypt.

Will Visit Baghdad. The Premier will visit Baghdad next month as the guest of Iraqi Premier Nuri Said. Out of this meeting a friendship alliance may emerge.

Nixon will come here direct from talks with Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia in Addis Ababa. He will stay a day before proceeding to independence celebrations in Ghana, the former Gold Coast.

In preparation for the Nixon meeting, Khalil is recalling his foreign minister, Mohammed Ahmed Mahgoub, from the United Nations for further information about President Eisenhower's doctrine on the Middle East.

"We will make a solid scheme," Khalil told this correspondent. "At the moment we do not know how much aid to ask for or what we will do with it."

"Of course we need help in developing agriculture," the Premier continued. "That is the main thing. We also need improved communications."

"As for defense, we do not need a big army—I would rather have a small, efficient force. But we will ask for modern arms, including planes and armor."

Tall, lean and tough at 67, Khalil speaks bluntly. He said this young republic was still too involved in domestic problems to want external trouble.

Hurt by Suez Stoppage. He said the stoppage of Suez canal traffic had probably hurt the Sudan more than any other country. The Sudan has an enormous cotton crop piled up. Shipments around Africa to Europe costs at least three

German Envoy Warned Hitler That U.S. Would Enter War

Message of Aug. 28, 1939, Said, However, That Big Force Couldn't Move to Europe in Year.

LONDON, Feb. 19 (AP).

A DOLF HITLER was warned by the German envoy in Washington less than a week before the outbreak of World War II the United States would intervene "if Britain and France are in danger of being defeated."

This is disclosed in captured German Foreign Office documents published by the British government yesterday.

German charge d'affaires Hans Thomsen told Hitler in a telegram, dated Aug. 28, 1939, that President Franklin D. Roosevelt "will do all he can to prevent the defeat of Britain and France, and to bring about the downfall of the totalitarian systems of government, especially that of Germany."

"(But) the dispatch of considerable American armed forces to the European theater of war in less than a year from the outbreak of war is technically impossible."

Halifax Quoted. Another document quoted Foreign Secretary Lord Halifax as saying in 1939 he hoped to see Hitler enter London beside King George VI "amid the acclamations of the English people."

The documents were published by the British government as volume VII of a series on German foreign policy.

A Foreign Office spokesman commented: "These accounts stand as German records. Naturally we cannot vouch for the accuracy of the German documents."

Part of volume VII is based on papers and reports by Fritz Wiedemann, the Fuehrer's adjutant from 1935 to 1939 and later German consul general in San Francisco.

In July 1938, two months before Hitler and Chamberlain met in Munich, Wiedemann conferred with Halifax in London.

times more than shipment via the canal, he said.

Khalil was reluctant to discuss Egyptian relations. However, it is known that his government hopes the U.N. will insist on Israeli withdrawal from the Gaza strip and then oblige President Gamal Nasser to keep the Suez canal free to all shipping.

"We do not hate anybody," the Premier said. "We only hate the words 'anti' and 'against.' We are very peaceful and friendly."

"I want to develop this country and raise the standard of

the people," the Sudanese leader said. "I cannot face intrigues. I cannot fight on two fronts. I have to be on peaceful terms with Egypt."

He was pleased at Emperor Haile Selassie's excellent relations with the Sudan. "We used to kill each other," the Premier recalled. "Now we consult each other and agree on all things."

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The U.S. and Russia

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The time has come to seek an understanding with the Soviet Union. We should use every opportunity to build a bridge over which the Soviet Union may withdraw from its ultimately untenable position in Eastern Europe.

As a first step the United States should be prepared to recommend to its Allies a withdrawal of Anglo-French-American forces to the west bank of the Rhine, provided that Soviet forces are withdrawn to the east bank of the Oder and the western Neisse rivers, with suitable arrangements for aerial and ground inspection and adequate provision for the maintenance of the status quo in Berlin pending the reunification of Germany.

Next we should seek an agreement with the Soviet Union whereby the Federal Republic of Germany would be released from NATO and the German Democratic Republic would be released from the Warsaw Pact. Thus the ground would be prepared for the reunification of Germany as a nation without military commitments to East or West, with its neutrality guaranteed by both the Soviet Union and the Western powers.

Next would come a general security agreement for all of Europe lying between the Soviet borders and the Atlantic seaboard, ultimately involving the withdrawal from this area of all Soviet, American and British forces.

Should this hope be realized, the NATO alliance will ultimately be reduced to a simple declaration by the United States that it would regard any attack upon the countries of Western Europe as an attack upon itself, while the Warsaw Alliance would be reduced to a similar declaration by the Soviet Union that it would consider any attack upon the countries of Eastern Europe as an attack upon itself.

JAMES P. WARBURG.

New York City.

An Uncertain Journey

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Orchids to cartoonist Fitzpatrick for his Valentine day cartoon depicting the little baby elephant, symbolizing "The New Republicanism," departing from home to embark on an uncertain journey to an unknown destination. I sent a copy to like.

BERT A. DOERING.

Decay for Decay's Sake

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Last week I went to the American Theater to see Tennessee Williams' play, "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof." I found it as boring as an unfunny dirty story.

Mr. Williams' preoccupation with human decay is not to lay bare with sharp and cleansing penetration the causes that underlie it. Instead, he peeks at it with prehenile finger-nails, squashes the maggots between his fingers and licks them with relish.

What really shocks me is that this play was given the Pulitzer Prize last year.

Surely the judges could not have given consideration to the terms of the award: "For an American play dealing with American life, which shall represent in marked fashion the educational value and power of the stage."

"Cat" does not deal with American life. It is not educational. It is violent without being powerful. The monstrous portents and emanations of the spiritual delirium tremens from which Tennessee Williams is suffering.

CHLOE W. SHERMAN.

Clayton.

Conversion at Vandalia

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

This letter is in reference to the Illinois State Penitentiary located at Vandalia. I am a Baptist pastor living within 10 miles of this penal institution, and from personal tours of the premises and conversations with various guards, the deplorable conditions which prevail at the Vandalia State Farm are well known to myself.

Others, however, should know that the spiritual accommodations at the farm have now been eliminated to provide additional quarters for the increasing number of criminals now being imported to this penal institution. The chapel has been "converted" to a barracks.

Consequently the Catholic services are held in the visitors' quarters and the Protestant services are conducted in the mess hall. The time allotted for the use of the mess hall is very limited in order that the first contingent of prisoners can be served as early as possible, for the prisoners must eat in an ever-increasing number of shifts.

When I visited the Illinois Capitol building in Springfield last week I noticed the extensive repairs and reconstruction going on there. I also recalled that the money Orville Hodge and his friends stole from Illinois taxpayers would go a long way toward solving the degenerate situation at Vandalia.

BURTON J. WILLIAMS.

Just as Bad in Hawaii

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

We reprinted your excellent editorial on billboards. We have just succeeded in getting through our City-County Board of Supervisors, a signs control ordinance—badly needed.

Since World War II, over-large signs and billboards have become an incipient plague. Our new ordinance, though not so strong as it should be, offers hope that our natural beauties won't be further defaced.

RILEY H. ALLEN, Editor,

Honolulu Star-Bulletin,

Honolulu, T.H.

The Why of Warrenton

The terror and tragedy at the nursing home in Warrenton Sunday afternoon in which more than 70 lives were lost through fire made evident the plight of thousands of elderly Missourians. That plight is at bottom economic.

These neglected citizens cannot afford to pay what adequate care would cost. So the existence of an estimated 17,000 of them in our state creates a large market for inadequate care. For many of them it is either that or nothing.

Some of this inadequate care is at least kind, and clean, and safe, spare though it may be. Elsewhere and too often the inadequacy takes the forms of makeshift housing, cruelty, and neglect of sanitation and medical attention, in various combinations. It takes, too, the form of terrible danger.

One evident fault at the nursing home which burned at Warrenton was makeshift housing, usually a fire hazard. That hazard produced on Sunday afternoon the worst fire, in toll of human lives, in Missouri history—and the worst nursing-home fire in the history of the nation.

How is adequate care to be given to Missouri's senior citizens during the latter years when they are unable to take care of themselves?

Gov. Blair has appeared before the Senate Public Health Committee, which at his request recommended passage of the bill offered by its chairman, Senator Spradling of Cape Girardeau, to license and regulate nursing homes.

As the Governor truly said of the Warrenton disaster: "It was something that should not have happened and which must never happen again in this state." He called the present regulatory statute "no law at all."

What are some of the reforms that must be brought about if it is never to happen again? Let us start with a matter of simple arithmetic.

Adequate custodial care for senile patients would cost on the average \$80 to \$95 a person a month, the State Division of Health estimates. Most senile patients have only the \$60 a month they receive in welfare and social security payments. That leaves a gap of \$20 to \$35 a month between what they can pay and the cost of accommodations that meet acceptable minimum standards.

The unfortunate consequences do not stop with the crowding of old people into potential fire-traps. Still others of their number take up a high percentage of the space in the five state institutions for the mentally ill. B. E. Ragland, director of the State Division of Mental Diseases, recently reported that of the 12,722 persons in

state mental hospitals, 4141—or approximately one third—are over the age of 65, many of them suffering from disorders growing out of age.

As long as these senile cases occupy rooms in mental institutions where they do not belong, there will be actual mental cases which cannot be admitted. Some of them will be dangerous.

Still further along the line, the seniles will be backed up in other kinds of institutions as well, preventing admission of persons with the kinds of troubles for which those institutions were designed.

St. Louis Chronic Hospital, which is not a mental institution, had 465 mental patients when Mrs. Edward G. Brungard, St. Louis public welfare director, testified to a legislative committee earlier this month.

Homer G. Phillips, a general hospital, had 70. Malcolm Bliss Psychiatric Hospital, intended for diagnostic treatment and for care only during short emergencies, had 65.

What needs to be done?

Missouri urgently requires a hospital for senile patients. A measure pending in the Legislature, offered by Senator John A. Johnson of Ellington, would construct such an institution at Rolla. The Legislature is also considering a measure to transfer senile patients from the mental hospitals to private nursing, boarding or family homes.

Even though the proposed hospital is built, many senile patients—perhaps most, at least for some years to come—will have to be cared for in private nursing homes. It will therefore be necessary to find a way to bridge the gap between the most they can afford and the least they should have.

After that, the task is one for regulation to insure that decent minimum standards are maintained. Those standards should be enforced on all nursing homes impartially.

A 1955 regulatory act was ruled invalid by the Attorney General's office because it exempted homes run by religious, charitable or non-profit organizations, and those regulated by city or town ordinances. This unequal treatment is no more justifiable in logic than it is in law. For enforcement, the National Fire Protection Association thinks Missouri ought to have a Fire Marshal, and the Legislature should give careful attention to that suggestion.

Missouri can do better and must do better by its elder citizens. The alternative is more disasters like that at Warrenton. And that is unthinkable.

In Memory of Wendell Willkie

There is a measure of Chief Justice Warren in the occasions which he selects for his public appearances from the many invitations that flood in on him at the Supreme Court. He went to Madison, Wis., to speak at the 100th anniversary celebration of the birth of that outstanding American statesman, the first Senator Robert M. LaFollette. Now the Chief Justice has spoken at ceremonies at the New York Public Library to mark the sixty-fifth anniversary of the birth of Wendell L. Willkie, 1940 Republican presidential nominee. Crediting Mr. Willkie with leadership in the fight to break down the walls of isolationism, the former G.O.P. Governor of California said:

Wendell Willkie did as much to remove the blinders from the eyes of Americans and to change the course of the party whose standard he carried as any American without government portfolio in our history.

The late Mr. Willkie was reviled by many members of his own party, and ridiculed by many others, for his efforts to make the United States realize that it was part of "One World," to use the title of his book. But he ignored the abuse and continued to hammer home his conviction. Time has borne him out, as even his critics in his own party surely must admit now.

An Open-Door Policy

Gov. George Docking of Kansas, as a Democratic official alone on a Republican prairie, might be expected to have his troubles, but he has passed the first test for a Kansas governor with his jayhawks flying. He is keeping his office door open.

If this seems an odd sort of luxury for a busy Governor, non-Kansans should know that former Gov. Fred Hall, a Republican, failed to keep his door open. This caused about as much resentment as anything the energetic Mr. Hall did. Kansans put a premium on open-door friendliness, and do not even allow Governors a door to hide behind.

So Gov. Docking's open-door policy has put him in good stead. Through his door each day troop legislators (mostly Republicans, of course), men, women and children, farmers, ranchers and business men, and every-day sightseers. In fact, nearly every page boy in the Legislature has sat in the Governor's chair.

We would say that Gov. Docking would likely go far in the Sunflower State but, come to think of it, he has gone about as far as he can go.

Poland As a Good Prospect

Senator Knowland, the Republican leader, may have been quite sincere or he may have been indulging in a bit of political back-slapping when—in a Lithuanian independence day speech—he said that he would do everything in his power to block American aid to Poland. In either case, he was anything but helpful.

The Senator is against aid to any Communist country. And he adds that Poland's "October" Premier, Wladyslaw Gomulka, is a Communist. That is true. Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia also is a Communist. But by their actions to date, these two have shown themselves to be of a different stripe from the one which is fashionable in Moscow.

The Senator from California, however, regards their nationalism as a smoke-screen; he does not trust them. Nobody can really say what Gomulka may do next week, next month or next year—not even the man himself. But both the White House and the Vatican, neither "soft" on Communism, are willing to help Gomulka one way and another in the hope of strengthening his stand against the Kremlin.

This is something of a gamble, especially in view of Poland's difficult geographical position, surrounded by Communist territory. Yet that position also makes an independent, more democratic Poland exceedingly desirable. Should the government offering such promise be snubbed? Should its leader be driven back to utter dependence on the Soviet Union?

In the case of Poland as well as in that of Yugoslavia, American aid does not imply full approval of their governments. It is a choice of the lesser evil, or rather the more promising alternative. Statesmen cannot work in terms of the ideal; they must work with the world as it is.

Whether we do so or not, the Russians will woo Poland just as they have tried to get Yugoslavia back into their fold. Are we to give them a free hand? Does not Tito's refusal to join Khrushchev in letting bygones be bygones war-

rant the hope that Poland will remain firm in its present attitude? We may believe that it does, and we also may hope that the Polish mission just arriving in the United States will not be alienated by thoughtless oratory.

Get All the Facts

One of the most thoughtful, constructive members of Congress is Oklahoma's Senator Monroney. He keeps partisanship in check and can be counted on to be generally fair in his approach to public questions. Hence it is time to take notice when he says that the Eisenhower Administration "is deliberately packing the independent boards, agencies and commissions to the end that it approaches one-party control contrary to law."

The real question, however, is not whether this Administration is appointing "Eisenhower Democrats" to the commissions that deal with TV channels, utility rates, railroad fares, truthfulness in advertising and many other aspects of everyday life. An "Eisenhower Democrat" on the Federal Trade Commission or the Tariff Commission might possibly act with more concern for the public interest than a commissioner appointed in the Roosevelt or Truman administrations. The question is the kind of commission member the Eisenhower appointee is. Does he represent the public interest—or the private interest of the power industry? Does he have the consumer viewpoint—or the viewpoint of the telephone company? Similar questions could be asked about other areas of regulation.

A House inquiry is scheduled and now Senator Monroney says he will ask the Senate Commerce Committee also to look into the appointments. Emphasis ought to be on the kind of commissioners appointed and their backgrounds, regardless of the party from which they come.

An assembly of full information on this would be beneficial to both President Eisenhower and the country. For it is doubtful if the President realizes what he has been induced to do by his advisers on these appointments. That however does not in any way relieve him of his responsibility for the appointments he makes to the regulatory agencies.

Warning From the H-Bomb Maker

Dr. Edward Teller, father of the hydrogen bomb and associate director of the University of California radiation laboratory, is a man whose word in the field of science has great authority. He now says the United States is about to fall behind Soviet Russia in the field of science and that in 10 years Russia will have "the best scientists."

That is indeed gloomy prophecy and coming from such a source it deserves the most careful attention. There is sober advice in his assertions that the public must become aware of the need for scientists and for better pay for scientists.

Dr. Teller's words are reinforced by the fact that Soviet Russia has become a strong military nation largely because it has been able to develop so tremendously in the fields of science and industry.

Bypassing the Assembly?

Although the Democratic revision of the Middle East resolution seems generally satisfactory, one slight change in the phrasing ought to be explained during Senate debate this week. In its original form, the resolution provided that any use of American armed forces in the Middle East should be:

... consonant with the treaty obligations of the United States and with the charter of the United Nations and actions and recommendations of the United Nations ...

The revision, as drafted by the Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Services committees, puts the qualification in a different way. It provides that any use of armed forces shall be:

... consonant with the treaty obligations of the United States and with the charter of the United Nations ...

This may be intended as merely a simplified way of saying the same thing, but the question does arise as to why the revision omits reference to "actions and recommendations of the United Nations." The Security Council has power to act, and the General Assembly has power only to recommend. By mentioning both actions and recommendations, the original resolution appeared to say that any use of American armed force would have to be "consonant" with decisions of the Assembly as well as the Security Council. Is it the purpose of the revised language to knock out that condition. If so, why?



Fitzpatrick

SPECTATORS WITH A RESPONSIBILITY

Dollars for Ballots

Congress may have little interest in regulating campaign spending when elections are far off, but Gore report calls for action; committee found many loopholes in present law, political costs running in millions, donations tending toward class parties.

William H. Stringer, Chief Washington Correspondent, in The Christian Science Monitor

For a day or so recently the rousing report of the Gore Senate subcommittee on election expenditures made headlines in the press. It revealed how antiquated, how useless, how conducive to subterfuge are the nation's laws regulating campaign spending.

And now? All is quiet on the Potomac. The report—by able Senators Gore of Tennessee and Mansfield of Montana, with a minority version by Senator Curtis of Nebraska—is ready for the dusty pigeonhole. Congress is considering more urgent matters.

We think of the leaky roof only when the rains come and the water pours through. Elections are many months away.

So the public should be moved to indignation—and remedial action—by the condition of the campaign expenditure and publicity statutes. Campaign spending in the United States is tending to "gigantism." It is relying too heavily on Madison avenue publicity techniques.

The contributions of the rank and file, the average man on the street, are way down. And the contributions of big corporation, wealthy families and big labor are way up.

Present laws set a ceiling of \$3,000,000 on campaign spending by any committee. Originally it was thought that each party would hold expenditures to that figure—totally unrealistic these days. The Gore subcommittee, by diligent survey and use of electronic computing machines, fixed the total of "reported" spending in 1956 at \$33,185,725.

Of this total, the Republicans spent \$20,885,387 and the Democrats \$10,977,790. Labor spent \$941,271, and there were smaller miscellaneous items.

This is by no means the real total. Dr. Alexander Heard, one of the committee staff specialists, estimated the cost of all campaigning back in 1952 at about \$140,000,000. It was much higher last autumn, most certainly, if only because of expanded television coverage. One estimate is that the United States spent the tremendous sum of \$200,000,000 in last year's election campaigns.

This is a big country, with wide spaces and myriad candidates. It needs to spend far more than \$3,000,000 per party—for travel, office help, television, radio, billboards, newspaper advertising, even campaign buttons. But the Gore committee silhouettes flagrant faults of this nature:

1. Obviously dozens of easy loop-

holes have been discovered in the laws. Instead of one party committee there are dozens. When a large donor wishes to exceed his limit he gives the name of his mother, daughter and great-uncle. The loopholes cannot all be plugged—but all contributions could be published and publicized.

2. Only a fraction of 1 per cent of the American people contributed the \$33,185,725 in reported spending. Last fall it was urged that Democrats, average and ordinary, "get into the act" with contributions of \$5 and \$10 to broaden the base of donors. Very little happened along this line. Perhaps income-tax exemption for contributions could help here.

3. In point of donors, the Republican and Democratic parties have very nearly become "class parties." One is supported by big business, the other by big labor. Contributions in excess of \$500 made by the officers and directors of 225 of America's largest corporations totaled \$1,816,597 to the Republicans and \$108,725 to the Democrats. Twelve selected wealthy families contributed \$1,040,526 to Republican candidates and \$107,109 to Democratic candidates.

On the other hand, as Senator Curtis indicated in his minority report, labor's expenditures for Democratic candidates—if the committee had included paid manpower and union publications—would show expensive trade-union backing for mainly the Democrats.

4. Donations often crossed state lines—donors in one state supporting candidates elsewhere. The committee commented: "We feel it is the prerogative of the citizens of a given state to elect Senators and Representatives of their own choosing."

5. A comparison between party reports and reports of individual donors revealed numerous discrepancies—which means deficiencies in present reporting rules.

What can be done about this? The Senators making the report believe the laws should be rewritten realistically. Certainly the rewriting should aim particularly at complete public disclosure. Those who contribute and those who expend should operate in goldfish-bowl publicity.

With increasing costs of TV, travel and publicity, it takes more dollars to elect some Senators now than it did to select some of our early Presidents. But costs will not balloon to stratospheric heights if the public can see, right along, what the parties are spending, and where the contributions come from.

Legislative reform marked time last session in Congress. Is it too much to hope that alerted citizens will one day urge Congress to get at the urgent business of revising the campaign spending statutes?

The Iceman Leaveth a Legacy

From the New York Herald Tribune

It's too late to tell Gennaro Sorrenti that it was nice knowing him. First of all, he died nearly four years ago; secondly, few of us actually knew him. He lived out his life in almost complete public indifference and he might have fared no better after death save for one curious act. In his will, he bequeathed \$20,000 for New York in return "for everything it gave me, the opportunities to work and to be free."

Gennaro Sorrenti was an iceman. He followed his calling in the friendly borough of Brooklyn.

The world has not dealt very kindly with icemen in this mechanical age; their strong shoulders and ready smile availed them little when electric and gas refrigeration came into the kitchen and made the term "icebox" an anachronism. But Mr. Sorrenti—known to his friends and customers as Jimmy the

Iceman—worked long and diligently. He had come here from Italy long years ago, and he discovered that his country was hospitable and congenial. No doubt he had complaints from time to time. Traffic was tough, taxes had to be paid, politicians wasted money. The world often seemed too busy and preoccupied to concern itself very much with the problems of a solitary iceman.

But oddly enough Mr. Sorrenti discovered that these shortcomings were rather trivial to a man who had found out for himself what America really meant. When Jimmy the Iceman drew up his will he decreed that his principal beneficiary be the city which had given him, and 8,000,000 like him, the opportunity to lead their own lives. Few gifts New York has ever received do it a greater honor.

Between Book Ends

In Tune With the Universe

THE EARTH BENEATH US, by H. H. Swinnerton. (Little, Brown, 324 pp., \$5.)

Prof. H. H. Swinnerton is like the member of an illustrious family whose pleasure is to tell the saga of its history. For him there is among living things "an ever-changing unity that is in harmony with that of the universe as a whole."

In "The Earth Beneath Us" he relates the story of our past from the birth and childhood of the earth to the civilizations of Mesopotamia and Egypt, which herald modern times. The story of the origin and anatomy of the earth and how its surface has changed and how minerals were formed, emerges in vivid perspective. Climates of past ages lead to the wonderful beginning of life and its myriad forms.

Students of geology, archeology, geography and zoology will appreciate his clear, scholarly statements, based on the latest research, and his use of correct technical terms. For others the book offers a fascinating introduction to the science of geology in all its ramifications. For example, it is stimulating to read of the evolution of early tertiary mammals in terms of a lemur missing his footing and, clutching wildly, hanging on to a branch.

H. H. Swinnerton the terrifying fall into an enjoyable swing. In another chapter, "Man's Rivals," modern battles against mosquito and tick-tie fly introduce the story of earlier arthropoda like trilobites.

On controversial topics such as the age of the earth, Swinnerton tells the chief theories concisely, then explains the research going on today, so that his conclusion is seen in full perspective. His explanation of how the Rocky Mountains and Andes were formed is wonderfully clear yet not over-simplified.

The author also cites examples of exciting geological discoveries in England and North America. They make one long to rush off to Missouri's rich fossil beds to seek more links in the chain of knowledge about prehistoric beasts and hunters.

ROSEMARY J. ROSE.

Helps for Parents

SERIES ON SEX EDUCATION, by Marlon O. Lerrigo, Ph.D., and Helen Southard, M.A., in consultation with Milton J. E. Senn, M.D. (E. P. Dutton & Co., Inc.). The books in this series are PARENTS' PRIVILEGE (64 pp., \$2); SEX FACTS AND ATTITUDES (88 pp., \$2.50); A STORY ABOUT YOU (62 pp., \$2); WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME? (64 pp., \$2); LEARNING ABOUT LOVE (62 pp., \$2).

The first two of these companion books are directed to parents and other adults with responsibility for the sex education of children or youth; three are for the young people themselves, and appeal to those between the ages of 9 and 20.

Although the technique and treatment differ according to the normal receptivity of the age groups, the subject matter is presented in a sound and straightforward manner. Even that intended for the primary age is factual and frank but in good taste.

In the books directed to them, parents are schooled in developing their own honest and positive attitudes which can be transmitted to their children.

"Many people think of sex education as a task," says the authors, "and they refer to the parents' job or the 'job of the school.' Actually, sex education is the parents' privilege, for they have the privilege of sharing daily life with their children, cherishing them and guiding them in many of the early experiences that can make sex education sound education."

MARY KIMBROUGH.

THOMAS L. STOKES

Playing Politics With Civil Rights

A POLITICAL POKER GAME over civil rights legislation is going on in Congress. At this early stage Attorney General Herbert Brownell Jr., who is sitting in for the Eisenhower Administration and the Republican party, seems to hold the best cards.

As the play goes on across committee tables at the Capitol, the principals and most everybody else are conscious of the political stakes, though no one, of course, mentions them out loud. In fact, at times the political stakes claim more attention than the deeper issue involved which is the protection of citizens, human beings, in exercise of their rights, including the right to vote. It is the Democrats who find themselves in a dilemma that could damage their party seriously. The evidence is plain for all to read in the swing of Negro votes in the last election to President Eisenhower.

This happened not only in the North but also in the South; and in the latter it became a factor in helping the Republicans break the once-solid South twice in a row.

Brownell Moves Early.

The reason for the shift also is plain—the blocking of civil rights legislation in the Democratic-controlled Senate last year toward the close of Congress and on the eve of the political campaign.

Attorney General Brownell, who was a highly skillful political operator before he became the nation's chief law officer, did not miss the lesson for his party in that shift of Negro votes.

So, while a year ago he delayed submission of a civil rights program to Congress until late in the session and could properly be assigned some of the responsibility for its failure, this time he came in quite early with his program. It is a moderate one and currently the subject of public hearings in House and Senate.

Problem in the Senate.

Against that program Southern Democrats are ready to raise all possible barriers. They are frank about that. Before the House Judiciary Committee there was a long parade of witnesses from Southern states, even though the Brownell program was the subject of extended hearings by the same committee last year, and after that it passed the House.

But Chairman Celler (Dem.), New York, of the House Judiciary Committee, has set a deadline for the end of hearings on Feb. 26, and the bill is expected to pass the House again at a not too distant date.

The problem again is the Senate, as it was last year. There Senator Hennings (Dem.), Missouri, chairman of the Senate Judiciary constitutional rights subcommittee, tried to avoid hearings again by his group, which held extensive hearings last year also, or

at least to curtail this year's hearings. But Senator Eastland (Dem.), Mississippi, Judiciary Committee chairman, added a couple of Southern Democrats to the subcommittee who helped to forestall any hasty procedure.

The progress of the public hearings which began last week might be described as leisurely. This was due largely to the deliberate pace set by one of the Southerners—Senator Sam Ervin (Dem.), North Carolina, who used to be a state supreme court justice.

Senator Ervin adopted rather the manner of the Southern country lawyer in his cross-examination of Attorney General Brownell, spinning it out in such detail about legal technicalities that the Attorney General had to return twice after his initial appearance.

Recognizing a Filibuster.

The North Carolina Senator affected the familiar Southern mockhumility—I may not know very much about these things—and constantly reverted to colloquialisms which he demurely branded as such. He found a match in the Attorney General, who knows a few tricks himself, as well as considerable law, and is apt and quick at repartee.

Mr. Brownell knew what was going on and, while never using the words dilatory or filibuster, said very pointedly when he expressed his readiness to return for a Saturday session, that he would be willing also to give up his Sundays as well as his nights to examination by the subcommittee.

He is aware that the Eisenhower Administration is likely to gain whatever happens. Dilatory tactics by Southern Democrats will react unfavorably for that party among Negro voters, while adoption of the program will help the Administration and the Republican party.

Johnson Sees Danger.

The heart of the Brownell program is a bill to permit the Attorney General to move in with injunctions to protect the right to vote. The political importance of that measure was made plain to his hearers when he ventured that many more Negroes in the South could have voted in the last election if this bill had been law.

Senator Lyndon Johnson (Tex.), Senate Democratic leader, is acutely aware of the political dangers to his party if it fails to meet the civil rights issue.

It is his intention to work with Northern Democrats to break a filibuster, both in committee and on the floor itself, in the effort to get a moderate program passed by the Senate during this session to clear the party as far as possible on the civil rights issues.

He has cut out quite a chore for himself, since the Southern bloc in the Senate on a civil rights bill has never been penetrated in modern times.

Opera parking lot in Forest Park.

Her husband, who died in 1955, was a former president of the Missouri and St. Louis Dental societies and founded the St. Louis Dental Library. Surviving are two sons, Edward E. Haverstick Jr. and William K. Haverstick, and two sisters, Mrs. A. J. Platt and Mrs. E. H. Bosse, both of St. Louis.

Eric von Stroheim Honored. PARIS, Feb. 19 (AP)—France today conferred the Legion of Honor on actor Eric von Stroheim. The Austrian-born Stroheim has been an American citizen since 1926 but has lived in France since 1945.

LUNTS OPEN PLAY AT THE AMERICAN

Capacity Audience Finds 'Great Sebastians' Highly Diverting.

By MYLES STANDISH

In "The Great Sebastians," which opened last night at the American Theater, Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne begin the play as a mind-reading vaudeville act in a theater in Prague, Czechoslovakia, and Mr. Lunt works the act down one of the audience aisles, calling back to Miss Fontanne on the stage. It is an amusing exaggeration of a couple of glib entertainers practicing their own particular theatrical racket with a combination of downright corn and a clever and instinctive feel for audience reaction.

The "melodramatic comedy" by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse which follows might well be described in the same terms. The Lunts, who are so clever at infusing their magnetic personalities into any sort of vehicle, from glittering tragedy to high comedy to slaphappy farce, have here chosen to continue their vaudeville capers through the entire play. It's an act, true, with 19 supporting players, but the pith and core of it is the repartee between the Lunts. As the pair of unquenchable hams they bicker, they strut, they indulge in mutual admiration, they practice their old and new mind-reading codes with amusing results. They meet a new challenge which casts them into the middle of the Communist coup which resulted in Jan Masaryk's "suicide," with haphazard but not without success.

When offered to a midnight supper party by a pompous Red general to try to read the mind of someone he suspects of plotting against him, the Great Sebastians are warming their way through the ordeal with a great sang froid. But when Van Doren tied with a woman attorney, Mrs. Vivienne Nearing, and got no further winnings. Van Doren and Mrs. Nearing will compete again next week.

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DR. HENRY NORRIS RUSSELL, LEADING ASTRONOMER, DIES

The New York Herald Tribune-Post-Dispatch Special Dispatch.

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From a more popular standpoint, Dr. Russell was often quoted in newspaper accounts of scientific meetings due to his long-held theory there was life on other planets. In 1924 he said there were probably millions of planets with a variety of life on them, and the following year he stated as an incontrovertible fact there was vegetable life on Mars.

The comedy will run through Saturday.

Welcoming Gen. Gruenther to City



GEN. ALFRED M. GRUENTHER (second from left), president of the American Red Cross, being greeted last night on arrival at Lambert-St. Louis Field. From the left are ROY WINGATE, manager of the St. Louis chapter of the organization; Gen. Gruenther; FRED A. LAISE, manager of the Midwestern Area office, and JOHN C. WILSON, vice president of the American Red Cross.

VAN DOREN HITS \$143,000; RUNS INTO TIE WITH WOMAN

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (AP)—Columbia University instructor Charles Van Doren won \$50,000 last night—increasing his winnings to \$143,000. But he also was tied for the first time in weeks—by a woman.

Van Doren continued his winning streak on NBC-TV's "Twenty-One" quiz show, defeating a magazine editor, Kenneth Gould, Scarsdale, N. Y. However, in the second set Van Doren tied with a woman attorney, Mrs. Vivienne Nearing, and got no further winnings. Van Doren and Mrs. Nearing will compete again next week.

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FUNERAL TO BE THURSDAY FOR ALBERT A. BOETTLE

Special Dispatch.

Funeral services for Albert A. Boettler, a former St. Louisian who was an insurance broker for 50 years, will be Thursday at 1 p.m. at Hoppe undertaking establishment, 4911 Washington boulevard. Burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Mr. Boettler, 71 years old, died Sunday of a heart attack at Las Vegas, Nev., where he was vacationing. He had lived at Fort Worth, Tex., since he moved from St. Louis 20 years ago. He was a graduate of Central High School and Washington University.

Surviving are a son, Dolph O. Boettler, 6335 Washington, University City, and a daughter, Mrs. William G. von Weise, 2 Hortense place.

NEW \$1500 SCHOLARSHIP

Century Electric Co. will award a \$1500 scholarship to Washington University for an outstanding member of Junior Achievement, it was announced today. It will be presented at the annual Junior Achievement banquet May 9.

Based on the award will be an outstanding record in Junior Achievement work and a high school grade average of scholarship standard.

Tomorrow's Events

Lecture: "This Land of Opportunity" by Jesse Owens, Olympic track star; Graham Memorial Chapel, Washington University campus; 11 a.m.

Lecture: "Masters of British Paintings"; City Art Museum, Forest Park; 2:30 p.m.

Film Program: "American Cowboy" and "Coral Wonderland"; Soudard Branch Library, 704 Lafayette avenue; 7 p.m.

Film Program: "Wodrow Wilson," "Sailplane," "Spring Comes to the Suburbs"; Cabanne Branch Library, 1106 Union boulevard; 7:30 p.m.

FUNERAL TO BE THURSDAY FOR VALENTINE M'CAREY

Funeral services for Valentine M'Carey, retired East St. Louis policeman, will be at 9 a.m. Thursday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Eighth street and Baugh avenue, East St. Louis. Burial will be in Mount Carmel Cemetery, Belleville.

Mr. M'Carey, 66 years old, died yesterday at St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis, of a heart disease. He lived at 1813 St. Clair avenue. When he retired as a policeman Jan. 1, 1956, he had been a member of the department for 22 years. Prior to that he was a railroad fireman.

Surviving are two sons, Arnold M'Carey of Peoria and Louis M'Carey of East St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY PLAYS FOR 2000 IN LOUISVILLE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 19.—An audience of almost 2000 persons filled Memorial Auditorium for a concert by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra here last night. Conductor Vladimir Golschmann directed four encores at the request of the enthusiastic audience.

The concert, the first by the St. Louis group here in 32 years, included works by Rachmaninoff, Debussy, Barber, Katschinsky and Vivaldi. The program marked the beginning of a tour that will take the orchestra into nine states in the South and Southwest.

ACTRESS MARTA TOREN DIES OF RARE BRAIN DISEASE

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 19 (AP)—Marta Toren, Swedish actress, died today of a rare brain disease which sent her to the hospital less than 48 hours ago. She was 31 years old.

Her doctor said she was suffering from subarachnoid hemorrhage, a disease which he said "can strike persons of all ages without warning."

Miss Toren was the wife of an Italian director and film writer, Leonardo Bercovici. They have a 10-year-old daughter.

The actress went to the United States in 1951 with a seven-year contract. After playing in 11 films, she returned to Europe to make films in Spain and Italy. Mostly she lived in Rome, where she was one of Ingrid Bergman's closest friends.

Col. Ray T. Elmore Dies. PALO ALTO, Calif., Feb. 19 (AP)—Col. Ray T. Elmore, the Air Force officer who helped Gen. Douglas MacArthur elude the Japanese and fly to Australia in the first phase of the Pacific war, died Sunday of a heart attack. He was 66 years old.

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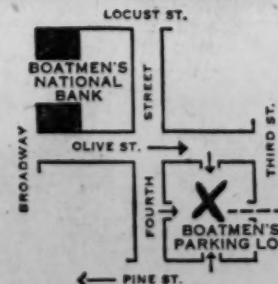
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By J. Roy Stockton
SPORTS EDITOR
OF THE POST-DISPATCH

To Get Attention,
Throw a Fast Ball.

BASEBALL managers, coaches and scouts still worship at the shrine of the fast ball and the long ball. Let a young man drive a few over the outfield barriers, or show the smooth rhythmic swing of the natural hitter and the farm club managers in an organization want him on their club. Or let a young man throw a ball with startling speed and the pitching coaches are eager to take him in hand.

In the Cardinal early camp this year is a 23-year-old left-handed pitcher named Darold Leonard Satchell. Darold, not Harold. Publicity man Jim Toomey, mentioning his name first, explained that so-and-so couldn't make it and so-and-so hadn't signed, so they plucked Satchell's name out of somewhere and here he was in uniform No. 71.

Satchell pitched in batting practice several times and the batters didn't enjoy their turns at bat against him. His high hard one buzzed by the boys' chins several times, that's why. And while there are more high-ball hitters than low-ball hitters, accounting for the fact that most pitchers try to keep their pitches low, it's also true that if you don't know much about a player, the wise thing, usually, is to pitch "high and tight, and low and away."

Satchell doesn't always pitch tight, but he's usually high. To the casual observer it seemed that he didn't have very good control, to put it mildly. And so we were a bit surprised during yesterday's workout at Al Lang field when Hutchison picked out the young man for praise. "Lot of good prospects in this camp," Hutch said, voluntarily breaking silence, except to greet people, for the first time this spring. He was going to let it go at that, but we asked, "Who do you like in particular?"

"That kid out there pitching," was Hutchison's reply. "Looks kinda wild," we objected.

"I don't care," Hutch insisted. "Anybody who can throw like that has a great chance to make it. We surely will work with him."

All the coaches had similar words of praise, such as "He's sure got the tools," and "You got something to work with, that boy."

Old Bear Bullman

Had Words for It.

TOOMEY had sent to St. Louis headquarters the information file on Satchell and when it came, it reminded us of the scouting reports that our old friend Gale Bullman always used to bring back on next week's Washington University football opponent, if the team had lost a string of games.

"Don't let that fool you," Bullman would urge. "This is just a good team with a bad record."

Satchell at the moment might be described that way, as a "good pitcher with a bad record."

Satchell has pitched for four seasons. In 1953 at Wisconsin Rapids he won three, lost eight, struck out 63 but walked 71 in 98 innings. Darold does have a strikeout ball, however, which is what makes Hutchison and his aids interested. In 1954 he struck out 94 in 112 innings and matched the strikeouts and bases on balls. In 1955, for Winnipeg and Paducah he struck out 100 and walked 84 in 118 innings and last season, at Beaumont, he fanned 100 in 114 innings and walked one man to each inning.

Hutchinson, of course, is looking at Satchell with an eye to next year or the year after. A pitcher should have his control to the point where he strikes out twice as many as he walks and of course if Satchell can approximate that kind of performance in any good league—he's assigned to the 1957 Omaha club—he'll not tarry long before being invited to join the Cardinals for keeps.

Nearer at hand as a prospect, Hutchison believes, is Ted Wiencek. He mentioned him, after he talked about Satchell.

"Wiencek," Hutch said, "looks like he's ready."

Some wild pitchers have been able to reform for the Cardinals and some haven't. Bill Hallahan was a great performer and helped win pennants, after he subdued his wildness a bit. But there was Ken Johnson, as great a left-handed prospect as the club ever had. They finally gave up on him. Another great prospect was the property of the Browns during his minor league days. Hooks lost never did acquire big league control.

But that strong arm is a great asset. It will get you the attention of the manager and his coaches.

St. Louis Squash Team

Wins Inter-City Meet

A St. Louis team won the Inter-city squash racquets tournament held at Louisville, Ky., over the weekend. Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Fort Knox, Ky., as well as St. Louis and Louisville, were represented in the meet.

St. Louis sent four teams. Its No. 1 entry, composed of Bill Schock, George Mallinckrodt and Harrold McElmurry, took the championship by beating Louisville in the final.

Illinois Appointment.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19 (UP)—Gov. William G. Stratton yesterday appointed William Feigenbutz of Chicago to the Illinois Athletic Commission. Feigenbutz replaces the late John W. Behr of Chicago.

K.C. GETS 7 PLAYERS IN 13-MAN DEAL WITH YANKS

CHAMPS CALL DITMAR KEY, ALSO GAIN BOB SHANTZ

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (UP)—The New York Yankees announced today they had acquired Pitchers Art Ditmar and Bobby Shantz and Infielder Cletus Boyer from the Kansas City Athletics in a trade for Outfielder Irv Noren, Infielder Billy Hunter and Pitchers Mickey McDermott, Tom Morgan and Rip Coleman.

One additional New York player will be assigned to the Athletics by April 15, Yankee General Manager George Weiss announced.

In a separate deal, Milt Graff, an infielder, was traded to Kansas City by Denver of the American Association, the Yankees' top farm club, in exchange for first baseman Wayne Belardi, Pitcher Jack McMahon and a player to be designated later.

The deal, therefore, will be a 13-player trade with the Athletics getting seven and the Yankee organization six.

Weiss said the key man in the trade was far as the Yankees were concerned was the 27-year-old Ditmar, a 12-game winner for the Athletics last year while losing 22.

Shantz, 31-year-old Most Valuable Player in 1952 when he won 24 games against seven defeats with the former Philadelphia Athletics, had a 2-7 record last season. He suffered arm trouble after his big year and has been ineffective since then.

Weiss said Manager Casey Stengel was expected to use him in relief roles.

Boyer was a bonus player with the Athletics in 1955. A shortstop-second baseman, he hit 217 in 67 games for the last year and Weiss described him as "a future gamble." He is a younger brother of the Cardinals Ken Boyer.

Noren hit only 216 in 29 games for the Yankees last year after having operations on both knees.

Hunter appeared in only 39 games for the Yankees in 1956, batting .220.

McDermott, who spent most of his major league career with the Boston Red Sox, was acquired by the Yankees from Washington and had a disappointing 2-6 record with New York last season.

Morgan was an 11-game winner for the Yankees in 1954 but since then had not been too effective and posted a 6-7 mark in 1956 while Lefty Coleman was only 3-5 last season.

Graff, 26-year-old second and third baseman who batted .317 with Birmingham last season, was described by Weiss as "a Nellie Fox type of ball player but not the kind we try to build our club around."

Belardi, 26-year-old first baseman, formerly with the Detroit Tigers and Brooklyn Dodgers. He went to the A's in a mid-winter swap with the Tigers.

McMahon was drafted from the Yankee farm system in 1953 by Pittsburgh and served with the Pirates and Kansas City last season. Both Belardi and McMahon are slated to play at Denver this season.

The 13-player deal was the biggest since the 17-player deal the Yankees made with Baltimore in December of 1954.

"Most Important."

President Arnold Johnson of the A's declared it "the most important deal since the Athletics were transferred to Kansas City."

He said the move "changes the entire complexion of the Athletics," giving the club a badly needed second baseman, a colorful shortstop who will continue Joe DeMaestri for that post, and adds to the pitching staff where strength has been lacking.

Noren came up to the majors in 1953 when the Brooklyn Dodgers sold him and three other players to the old St. Louis Browns for \$90,000. He went to the Yankees in the big New York-Baltimore swap of 1955, had a poor showing at the plate and was sent down to Denver, where he suffered a fractured leg that hampered him until late last year.

Johnson said acquisition of Noren was a gamble because of leg injuries the big slugger has suffered. Noren saw little action last year and, though medical reports show he is sound, the question is whether he can retain his old form.

The seventh player the A's are to receive probably will not be named until just before the season opens. The Yankees have submitted a list of possibilities that includes two pitchers, two outfielders and an infielder.

Minors Signs Contract.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19 (UP)—Minnie Minors, outfielder, signed his 1957 contract with

opened spring training in Havana. . . . The University of Chicago student magazine, Pulse, suggested withdrawal from the Big Ten Conference when the university adopted a plan to award bachelor degrees after only two years.

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New Indian Maneuvers in Arizona



The man kneeling at the right is KERBY FARRELL, new manager of the Cleveland Indians, and those other people are Cleveland baseball players, going through calisthenics. It's something new in the training camp routine for the Indians, at Tucson, Ariz. Under other Cleveland managers, the Indians had to do this only when a newsreel photographer showed up and asked for a pose. Farrell says calisthenics will be a regular part of training.

Rizzuto Gets Hit—On Head With Golf Club

LAKE WORTH, Fla., Feb. 19 (UP)—The Cavalcade of Champions golf tournament got off to a rough start yesterday for little Phil Rizzuto when Herb Score accidentally "beamed" the former Yankee shortstop with a golf club.

The blow brought blood to Rizzuto's right temple and a physician advised The Scooter to give up golf for the day.

Alvin Dark, St. Louis Cardinal shortstop, fresh from winning the annual baseball players golf tournament in Miami Sunday, took the lead in the opening round of this event with a 71. Dark's round put him three strokes in front of Augie Bergamo, former Cardinal who fired a 74. After them, the scores of the free-swinging diamond stars soared in the high winds.

Tied at 81 were Lou Kretlow, Kansas City pitcher, and John Gray, of Minneapolis. Early Wynn, Cleveland mound ace, shot an 83.

Jim Hearn of the Philadelphia Phillies, whose wife is expecting a baby, did not show up to defend the title he won last year.

Score and Rizzuto were playing in a foursome with Mickey Mantle and Yogi Berra of the Yankees. On the twelfth tee, Score hit three drives out of bounds, then hit another down the fairway.

Rizzuto, thinking Score had finished, stepped up to tee off but Score still was swinging his driver in disgust and the club glanced off the side of Rizzuto's head.

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Crippled Hawks Play Hot-Firing Pistons

By Harold Flachsbart

The Fort Wayne Pistons, who will be the Detroit Pistons come another season in the National Basketball Association, are in town again to play the Hawks at Kiel Auditorium tonight, and Coach Charley Eckman was to be excused if he seemed to be swaggering a bit more than usual.

Last time the Pistons appeared here, Jan. 29, the Hawks were challenging for the Western Division lead and could have taken over undisputed possession of the top spot by beating Fort Wayne. Now, the Pistons have opened up a two-and-a-half game lead in their bid for a third straight Western title.

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Umpire Darlick Not Ready to Resume His Duties in the N. L.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 19 (UP).

VETERAN umpire Albert J. Barlick of the National League, benched last season by a heart condition, has been ordered to rest a while longer before returning to active duty.

Warren Giles, president of the National League, said last night that Barlick's physician had advised the Springfield, Ill., umpire against working the spring training camps and to get a later check on his condition.

Giles said the physician indicated Barlick was "better" but not enough better to take on active work.

Giles said Barlick is on leave of absence. He broke into the majors in 1940 at the age of 25 after five years in the minors.

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Pappy Waldorf To Head Scouts For Pro 49ers

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19 (UP).

The San Francisco Forty-Niners yesterday signed Lynn (Pappy) Waldorf, former coach of the University of California, as director of personnel in the professional football team's scouting program.

A club spokesman said that the 54-year-old, 250-pound Waldorf would be in complete charge of the operation, direct the activities of all Forty-Niners scouts and "be the main cog in instilling new blood into the team each year."

Waldorf resigned from California before the final game with Stanford last season after coaching the Bears for 10 years. He stepped down reportedly under alumni pressure when the Bears were winding up their second straight poor year under his direction.

However, he did coach California teams of other years into three Rose Bowl games and compiled a 71-28-4 record there after coming to the school from Northwestern in 1947.

Waldorf would not disclose the terms with the Forty-Niners but said "the arrangement is satisfactory, and so is the salary."

"Basically, my job will be to organize the obtaining of information on hundreds of college players who are qualified to go into professional football," Waldorf said. "However, I don't have any conclusion at the time just what the Forty-Niners need."

The team, coached by Frankie Albert, closed last after a bad start last season and finished third in the Western Division with a record of 5-6-1.

"My wife and I decided two things after I left California," Waldorf said. "I no longer wished to coach but we still wanted to live in the San Francisco bay area."

Boyer Repeats As Early-Bird

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 19

KENNY BOYER who had two fine seasons as a Cardinal after reporting for early spring training, decided it would be a good idea to get an early start this spring. Kenny, after spending a few days finding satisfactory living quarters, checked in yesterday at Al Lang Field and engaged in his first workout.

Other new men in camp were Jim Davis, the left-handed knuckle ball pitcher acquired from the Cubs, and Tom Cheney, young right-hander. Cheney might be knocking on the big league door this spring, if it were not for an impending draft call. He has been examined and found fit and he's No. 3 on the list at Fresno, Calif., where he lives.

Boyer reported in good batting form. In his first turn at bat he sprayed the outfield fences and sent half a dozen balls into Tampa Bay, beyond the left field fence.

Red-Top Davis Loses To Seasoned Traveler

PARIS, Feb. 19 (AP)—Felix

Chiocci, 23-year-old French lightweight, last night outpointed veteran Teddy (Red Top) Davis of Hartford, Conn., in a 10-round bout at the Palais Des Sports before 6000 fans. Each weighed 136.

The Venezuelan-born Frenchman, who started his professional career three years ago in Brooklyn, took command of the battle from the start and kept landing telling blows while Davis sought mainly to land body blows during the infighting.

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BOWLING

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What Causes 'Soft Alley'?

IF ALL St. Louis alleys are up to American Bowling Congress specifications, why are some difficult to score on while others are regarded as "soft"? What conditions make for a so-called soft alley anyway?

The more tenpin people one talks to on the subject, the more opinions are offered. Lightweight pins, some say. Better care of the lanes, others feel. The age of the alleys. The type of finish used. The class of bowlers who generally compete at the house. The type of kickbacks. Some of these factors, and possibly all, are important in affecting scores. As Bowl-Mor Lanes, at 5630 Gravois, were those that figured in a recent hassle and were the object of much discussion because of the frequent high totals there, we asked a number of people how they felt about Bowl-Mor.

Jerry Ameling, longtime secretary of the Greater St. Louis Bowling Association (now reformed) who started bowling here 60 years ago, believes it is essentially a matter of the man behind the ball.

"I believe at Bowl-Mor it is especially important to set your ball down on the right board," said Ameling. "Because there are so many bowlers now who concentrate on hitting an exact spot, they shoot big scores there."

"Bowlers are much better than they used to be," Ameling continued. "I started in 1896, five years before there was even a league in St. Louis. But through all my years of bowling, I never heard of playing the boards until recent years. We just aimed for the pocket."

Two Bowlers Speak Up

AROLD MOSER, who has rolled two perfect games this season and averaged 218 in the Metro Classic League at Bowl-Mor, while averaging 185 in the Masters League at Floriss Lanes, said, "I'm proud of both averages. I can do better at Bowl-Mor because I'm so accustomed to the alleys there."

"You can't walk into Bowl-Mor and shoot 200s by just throwing your ball out on the lanes," Moser went on. "Ask the Falstaffs about that! The difficulty they had in scoring at Bowl-Mor indicates the skill and alley knowledge that is necessary."

"I roll three nights a week at Bowl-Mor—and sometimes I substitute on a fourth night," Moser said. "I've been doing that for 10 or 15 years. Bowl-Mor uses a shellac finish that few other houses use and you have to know how to bowl on it."

"Because I only shoot at Floriss one night a week, it is difficult to change my style when I get there," Moser continued.

Another man with a fat average at Bowl-Mor feels differently. He is Elmer (Wes) Wesling.

"I've always felt that I was a 195-average bowler," said Wesling. "I hadn't shot at Bowl-Mor since I was in the All-Star League there in 1942, but things have been going very well for me. I think my 219 average is third now in the Metro Classic."

Wesling had to drop out of bowling for four years because of illness, resumed last season on a limited basis, and then got into full swing in the current campaign. He has a 204 mark with Lindenbusch in the Masters League.

"Oh, it's hard to say what the scores go up at Bowl-Mor," said Wesling. "But I think the light wood has much to do with it. There's nothing wrong with that, everybody enjoys scoring. But I'm not kidding myself into thinking I'm a 220 bowler."

Burke Stresses Care

"ALL we have to sell is service," said Pat Burke Sr., proprietor of Bowl-Mor. "So we give the customers all we can. That means we take extremely good care of our alleys, so that conditions will be the same at all times. When a bowler delivers his ball he knows how it will behave if he's shot here often enough. Don't think that doesn't bring scores up."

Burke said that his son, Pat Jr., spends three and one-half hours cleaning and polishing the 10 lanes at Bowl-Mor every morning, using a rotary brush similar to those used for waxing floors.

Pat Jr. pointed out a factor that he believes brings on high scoring at Bowl-Mor. "All our leagues are so strongly competitive," said Pat. "There are no company or club leagues that sometimes are primarily social. We haven't had a league of that type for 10 years. The bowlers we get are out to win and consequently they concentrate on their scores more."

Perhaps, however, the basic reason that Bowl-Mor affords conditions that have produced 10 of St. Louis's 25 perfect games and a flock of nationally high totals goes back into history. The same alleys were famous for their scores when they were known as Heide's at Cardinal and Park. They picked up the wood and moved it to Gravois in 1940, but it didn't lose anything en route.

Y.M.H.A. Handball

The Y.M.H.A. handball doubles tournament began tonight with the following matches: 7 o'clock—Sandy Goffstein-Buddy Brown vs. Herbert Harstein-H. Wolf; Don Grabel-Gene Babchick vs. Len Sexon-Harry Kaye; 8 o'clock—Mike Grabel-Ed Stein vs. Mike Levinson-Gil Kulberah; Jerry Lapp-Morton Harris vs. Jack Dicker-Fred Berger.

Wilt Fouls Out, Skids From 2nd to 5th in U.S. Scoring

Jayhawk Gets Only 11 Against Sooners

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (UP)—Wilt Chamberlain's bid for the national scoring title suffered a near-disastrous blow today in the wake of the Kansas Giant's worst performance of his college career.

The seven-foot Chamberlain managed to score a mere 11 points last night while Kansas routed Oklahoma, 76-56, and dropped into fifth place in the scoring derby. South Carolina's Grady Wallace ranks first with a 56.57 average. Columbia's Chet Forte is second with 29.55 and Elgin Baylor, who tallied 40 points in Seattle's 99-87 win over Gonzaga last night took over third place from Chamberlain with a 29.13 average.

Chamberlain scored only four points in the first half and fouled out for the first time in his career with 8:56 to go in the second half. Wilt's lowest previous game-output was 12 points against Iowa State last December and he never previously had drawn more than four fouls in a game.

Despite Chamberlain's poor showing, Kansas breezed to a 36-20 halftime lead. The Jayhawkers led, 59-42, when Wilt fouled out and soon increased the margin to 22 points. Sophomore Ronnie Loneski paced Kansas with 28 points while Don Schwall tallied 30 for Oklahoma. The victory was the seventh in 18 games for Kansas, the nation's second-ranked team.

Third-ranked Kentucky, Bradley, tied with U.C.L.A. for the No. 5 rating, and eleventh-ranked Indiana all scored impressive victories. Memphis State whipped Memphis State, already in the National Invitation tournament, 106-96, in other important games.

Kentucky virtually clinched its seventeenth Southeastern Conference title with an 80-78 decision over Vanderbilt before 12,000 at Lexington, Ky. The Wildcats blew a 17-point halftime lead and had a narrow brush with a tie when Vanderbilt guard Al Rochelle missed a last-ditch shot with eight seconds left. Johnny Cox led Kentucky with 23 points.

Bradley won its eighteenth win in 21 games when it tripped Wichita, 73-72, after leading by as much as 16 points. Barney Cable scored 21 points and Shellie McMillon 19 to lead the Braves.

Indiana retained its lead in the Big Ten conference as Archie Dees sparked the Hoosiers to a 90-76 win over Iowa. Dees connected for 15 field goals and seven free throws for 37 points. Indiana led, 47-32, at the half and never was seriously threatened the remainder of the way.

Oklahoma City went over the 100-mark for the second time in the school history in walloping Memphis State. Hubert Reed had 36 points and Lyndon Lee 34 for Oklahoma City while Win Wilfong had 38 for Memphis State. State, Seattle, Cincinnati and Dayton are the four teams already named to New York's N.I.T.

In other games, Bill Ebben scored 41 points to lead Detroit to an 87-69 decision over Tulsa; Lionel Smith tallied 44 points as Missouri routed Marquette, 98-76; Michigan State broke Illinois' 21-game home winning streak with an 89-83 decision; Purdue rallied in the last two minutes to beat Michigan, 66-63, and Kansas State downed Nebraska, 81-56.

Illinois Box Score

Michigan State (82)	Illinois (82)
Hedden 4-5	Schmidt 1-0
Ferguson 1-1	Maller 0-1
Anderson 2-3	Calahan 0-0
Green 2-3	Brown 0-0
Beck 0-0	Ohl 1-0
Wilson 8-8	Past 1-3
Quigg 1-0	Quigg 0-0
Lox 12-4	Taylor 1-3
Totals 56-17-30	Totals 30-23-30
Halftime score: Michigan State 46, Illinois 44.	

Moser Paces Metro Classic Pin League

Pat Jr. pointed out a factor that he believes brings on high scoring at Bowl-Mor. "All our leagues are so strongly competitive," said Pat. "There are no company or club leagues that sometimes are primarily social. We haven't had a league of that type for 10 years. The bowlers we get are out to win and consequently they concentrate on their scores more."

Perhaps, however, the basic reason that Bowl-Mor affords conditions that have produced 10 of St. Louis's 25 perfect games and a flock of nationally high totals goes back into history. The same alleys were famous for their scores when they were known as Heide's at Cardinal and Park. They picked up the wood and moved it to Gravois in 1940, but it didn't lose anything en route.

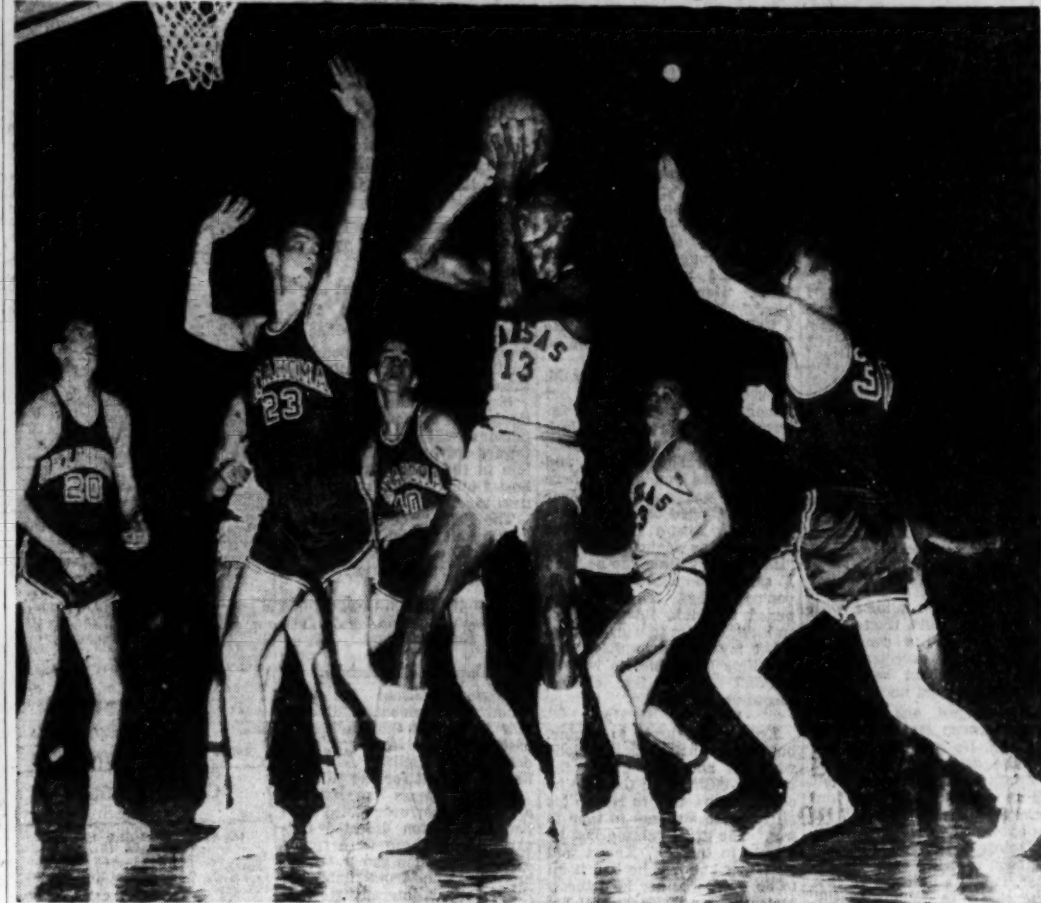
Y.M.H.A. Handball. The Y.M.H.A. handball doubles tournament began tonight with the following matches: 7 o'clock—Sandy Goffstein-Buddy Brown vs. Herbert Harstein-H. Wolf; Don Grabel-Gene Babchick vs. Len Sexon-Harry Kaye; 8 o'clock—Mike Grabel-Ed Stein vs. Mike Levinson-Gil Kulberah; Jerry Lapp-Morton Harris vs. Jack Dicker-Fred Berger.

Manchester Pulls Away

LONDON, Feb. 19 (AP)—Manchester United, English Soccer League leaders, defeated Charlton, 5-1, yesterday and increased its Division One lead to six points.

Manchester has 48 points from 29 league games. Second-place Tottenham has 40 points from 28 games.

He Doesn't Look So Big Now



Camera perspective helps give the illusion that Kansas's 7-foot WILT CHAMBERLAIN doesn't look so big now. The Stilt couldn't get this shot off when guarded by Oklahoma's BOB STORMER (25) in the Big Seven game won by Kansas at Lawrence. Wilt scored only 11 points and fouled out with nearly nine minutes to go in the game. Other players: JOE JONES (30, right), ED ABBEY (20) and DON SCHWALL (40) of Oklahoma; RON LONESKI (33) of Kansas.

Mizzou Victory Picks Up Basket-Load of Records

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 19—Individual and team scoring records fell by the wayside as the Missouri Tiger basketball team ended a three-game losing streak with a 98-76 victory over Marquette here last night.

Lionel Smith was the big gun of the attack, scoring 44 points as he hit 17 field goals in 28 attempts and added 10 free throws to total 44 points, bettering the Brewer Field House record of 36 set last year by Norman Stewart.

Stewart's old mark would have fallen anyway, as Marquette's left-handed hook artist, 6-8 Mike Moran, scored 38 points as he connected with 13 of 25 field goal attempts and scored 12 free throws. He left with a record, however, as that was the best scoring effort of a Missouri opponent, beating the 32 points set only 48 hours earlier by Wilt (The Stilt) Chamberlain of Kansas.

Mike Kirksey, Tiger sophomore, had a hand in another record as he converted a pair of free throws at the end to give Missouri a total of 98 points, one more than a Missouri team record of 97 set against Iowa here in 1954.

The Tigers had a slow start but picked up steam as they went along. They forged ahead in the closing minutes of the first half, scoring nine points while holding the visitors scoreless to grab a 43-37 advantage at the intermission. Marquette had led by as much as 12 points, 28-16, midway in the half, largely because of Moran's accuracy. At one point he had accumulated 16 points, only two less than the entire Tiger team.

Smith, having by far his best night in three years of competition, hit 5-for-5 immediately after the mid-game halt. He blocked shots or stole the ball half a dozen times to touch off scoring on Missouri fast breaks.

The Tigers out-rebounded their taller foes, 48 to 36, and hit 44.6 per cent of their 74 attempts. Marquette was not having a cold night, however, as it made good on 38.6 per cent of 70 shots.

The victory pulled the Tigers to a 9-11 record for the season with three games to go, the next against Colorado here Saturday. It was Marquette's twelfth loss in 22 games in a schedule that has pitted the team against such ranked teams as Kansas, Louisville, Bradley and Canisius.

College Baskets

MIDWEST	SOUTHWEST	SOUTHEAST	PACIFIC
Michigan State 83, Purdue 66; Michigan 83, Indiana 66; Wisconsin 83, Minnesota 66; Kansas 76, Oklahoma 56; Oklahoma A&M 65, Drake 65; Bradley 75, Wichita 64; Detroit 87, Tulsa 69; Missouri 98, Marquette 76; Dickinson (N.D.) Tech 82, Wake Forest 61; St. Thomas 88, Concordia (Minn.) 74; Miami (N.D.) Tech 104, Ellendale 73; Minnesota Duluth 104, St. Mary's 81; Wheaton 91, Reilly 66; Wabash 97, Southwestern (Tenn.) 72; Ball State 85, Franklin 67; Central (Iowa) 73, Ohio University 75, Toledo 65; Kansas State 84, Cape Girardeau State 61; Lincoln (Mo.) 71, Warrensburg (Mo.) State 62; EAST	Villanova 81, Scranton 68; Boston College 81, Kentucky 65; Elizabeth City 75, Dickinson 61; Lebanon Valley 75, Susquehanna 65; St. Mary's 86, St. Francis (Pa.) 61; Cheyenne (Pa.) 101, National Ag. 82; Howard (D.C.) 101, Lincoln 87; Alfred 75, St. John 83; Quinnipiac 109, Hilder 68; Indiana (Pa.) Teachers 85, California (Pa.) Teachers 71; Kentucky 88, Vanderbilt 78; Wake Forest 82, Maryland 68; Wm. & Mary 68, VMI 64; Washington State 84, George 72; Auburn 75, Tulane 64; Indiana 75, Louisville State 79; Tampa 86, Mercer 61; Eastern Kentucky 109, Middle Tennessee 101; East Carolina College 88, Pfeiffer 69; Benedict 84, Allen 78; Newberry 84, College of Charleston 61; Tennessee State 84, Southwestern Louisiana 60; North Georgia 85, Piedmont 85; Southwestern State 87, Sul Ross 82; East Texas State 74, Southwest Texas State 71; Tulsa Western 81, Hardin-Shannon 49; Oklahoma City 104, Memphis State 88; Howard Payne 86, Lamar Tech 77; FAR WEST	Seattle University 88, Gonzaga 87; Portland (Ore.) 84, Eastern Washington 61; Westminster (Utah) 73, Eastern Montana 63; Idaho (Ore.) 74, Whitman 72; Dayton College 84, Rochester Royals 69; Indiana's Swimmers Win	Bruce Glazier captured first places in the 100-yard backstroke and the 120-yard individual medley to help the University City Indians beat St. Louis U. High in a non-league swimming meet yesterday at the Y.M.H.A., 44-33.

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German Fighter Beats DeMarco

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 (AP)—Stefan Redl, an unbeaten welter of German-Hungarian background, has moved into the main event class with a victory over Paddy DeMarco, former lightweight champ.

Redl, born in Hungary, but raised in Stuttgart, Germany, came to America a year ago. He gave up his career as a carpenter to devote his time to a ring career. Between bouts, he loads trucks for a Passaic (N.J.) firm.

The import, winner of 12 straight, went 10 rounds for the first time last night at St. Nicholas Arena. He won going away on a unanimous ballot. Referee Larry Napp

FIGHT RESULTS

NEW YORK—Stefan Redl, 142, Passaic, N.J., outpointed Paddy DeMarco, 144½, Brooklyn, N.Y., 10.
DENVER—Gene Fulmer, 162, West Jordan, Utah, outpointed Fred Burando, 163, Bayonne, N.J., 10.
BOSTON—Mike—Walter Carter, 161, New York, outpointed Eddie Andrews, 156, Lowell, Mass., 10.
ALBANY, N.Y.—No. 1 Barker, 149, Albany, outpointed Charlie Salas, 148, Phoenix, Ariz., 10.

Lois Baskin, 718, Is Singles Leader in the Women's City Pin Meet

Lois Baskin, with a 718 total, moved into first place in the singles of the women's city handicap bowling tourney on the Sports Bowl Lanes. Willie Collins is second with 676.

Delores Deiderschen (443) and Gertrude Droegge (456) rolled 1130, including a handicap of 201 pins, to take seventh place in the doubles.

The Hues...ns tallied 2642 for tenth place in the "A" team division. West Lane had 2503 and St. Ann's Lanes 2502 for fourth and fifth place in the "B" division. Jolly Five had 2642 for tenth spot.

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Pinckneyville Coach to Quit After Season

PINCKNEYVILLE, Ill., Feb. 19 (INS)—The veteran basketball coaching wizard of Southern Illinois, Merrill (Duster) Thomas of Pinckneyville High School, has announced that he will retire at the end of the current season.

The 52-year-old coach, noted all over the state for his winning, ball-control style of play, said that if he remains at Pinckneyville, "it will be as athletic director and teacher only."

Thomas, now in his eighteenth season as coach of the Panthers, has compiled an enviable record. His 1947-48 quintet ran up an imposing 33-1 won-lost record in winning the state title.

Three other Thomas-taught teams, those of the 1952-53, '53-54 and '54-55 campaigns, placed third in "Sweet 16" competition and each boasted a 33-3 mark.

During the last seven seasons, including a 24-2 record so far this campaign, Thomas has posted an amazing mark of 205 victories against only 25 setbacks.

The current Panthe, five is a strong contender for the 1956-57 Illinois high school crown. Besides his coaching duties, he is athletic director and teaches four courses.

Celtics Owner Would Bar Wilt the Stilt From Pro Cage Loop

BOSTON, Feb. 19 (UP).—BOSTON CELTIC owner Walter Brown has nixed Kansas basketball star Wilt Chamberlain, the National Collegiate Athletic Association, and retired Coach Phog Allen with his latest barrage of verbal potshots.

The Celtic owner charged yesterday that "Wilt Chamberlain, Kansas's great sophomore, should never be allowed to play in the National Basketball Association for the way he proselyted himself to go to college."

Turning his verbal guns on the N.C.A.A., Brown said: "It's a travesty on college ball and the sanctimonious N.C.A.A. should be shamed for permitting the boy to play at Kansas."

Though Brown said he has no actual figures on what entitled the seven-foot Philadelphia to Kansas, he said that retired Kansas Coach Phog Allen went high for Chamberlain when he "gave it all to him."

Chamberlain is already the draft property of the Philadelphia Warriors. He is due to join the club when he graduates in 1959.

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Fullmer Adds Little to His Prestige in Win Over Durando

Fans Boo What's in a Name? Well, Just Take Old Bones or Upset, for Example

DENVER, Feb. 19 (AP)—Gene Fullmer added \$8400 to his bank account but little to his prestige as middleweight boxing champion with a unanimous decision over Ernie Durando last night in a 10-round non-title fight.

Some of the 6132 fans, who paid a Denver record gate of \$24,145, chimed in with boos and staccato handclaps in the late stages of the bout in Auditorium Arena.

Durando, 163, battle scarred veteran of 66 pro fights since 1946, stayed on his feet all the way while soaking up every punch the 162-pound champion uncocked. Durando shook up Fullmer only once, in the seventh.

Referee Ray Keech scored it 50-45, Judge Joe Ullmer 50-42 and Judge Bob Sauer 50-41.

Fullmer, West Jordan, Utah, welder, received 40 per cent of the net gate, \$21,001, after taxes. Durando, Bayonne, N.J., was paid \$3000.

Fullmer will appear in another match in the Denver Arena next Feb. 27 in a 10-round non-title bout with Charley Cotton of Toledo, Ohio.

Fullmer suffered a slight cut on his left eye in the first round and in the sixth his nose started bleeding from a punch. Fullmer chopped a cut on Durando's left eye in the fifth.

Durando took a steady pounding in the early stages and in the fifth was pinned to the ropes for a full 30 seconds by Fullmer's swarming, wild swinging tactics.

Durando's most effective blow was a right hook near the close of the seventh round that caught Fullmer on the jaw. The champion was back pedaling at the bell.

But the veteran Jersey campaigner couldn't follow through and action slowed in the eighth round. This touched off a bushel of boos and hand clapping from the crowd.

Fullmer stormed out in the ninth round and enveloped Durando in a flurry of wild swings, but none registered effectively. It was the same in the final round with Durando ducking and hanging on to avoid a knockout.

The victory was Fullmer's thirty-eighth in 41 fights since becoming a pro in 1946. Durando has 40 victories, 21 defeats and 5 draws.

By Jack Rice

"Big Bill" Knapp sat erect, getting the full measure of dignity from his five-foot-two body, and listened to the pretty blonde girl from the New York publicity agency explain how this pipe tobacco company wants to give away a race horse. All a man, woman or child has to do is pick a better name for the horse than any other man, woman or child does, and he's got the horse. There's some hay that goes with the prize, the girl said.

"Bill is the focal point of our promotion," said Mary Hall, the blonde. The promotion is to get newspapers and other horse-lovers acquainted with the contest. For several years pretty promotion-acquainting blonde girls have come through town this time of year, and this is the first time one has brought an added focal point.

The agency picked a good one, though just how good is slow to register. Knapp could help by volunteering on these newspaper-office stops just what Knapp he is. But at 68 he has time to be modest, and let questions take their course, steering him clear of boasting. It's a system that has his charm.

"Well, Son . . ."

So he was asked, with pitiful ignorance, if he ever won any big races. Knapp smiled kindly, with the tolerant gratitude of a man who has been offered car-fare and has to admit he's waiting on this corner for his chauffeur to pick him up. "I was on Exterminator when he won the Kentucky Derby in 1918," he said. This was gold. Dig for more. Any other good races?

"Not on Speaking Terms." "Johnny and I were good friends," said Knapp, "but he didn't speak to me for three weeks." When Loftus did beat silence, it wasn't exactly to Knapp. They were part of a four-horse stake race at Havre de Grace, and Knapp was up on Exterminator, Old Bones, the horse with a soul



—By a Post-Dispatch Photographer. BILL KNAPP

horse, after all. At this distance in time from the actual event, it's a little like talking with the old Babe Ruth used to hit Homer No. 60, a source of who never expected to be heard from, about something that only happened once.

"It was just one of those things," Knapp said. "Bad luck beat him. He got off last, and in those days, a jockey could do things he can't do now. I got him in a pocket and kept him there until it was too late." He was apologizing for Man O'War, not himself. He and Big Red had been sporting with one another. It was a perspective that came slowly to Johnny Loftus, though. Loftus was jockey on Man O'War.

Knapp smiled and said, yes, people are surprised to learn he was with Upset in that race, the one that didn't quite force Man O'War down to being only human, but did prove him only

or the biggest part of one, a sense of humor.

Knapp and Old Bones were trailing Sir Barton and The Porter. "I was laying third, and Loftus was fourth, on Cudgel," Knapp said. "Going into the turn, the two laid away from the rail, and I started through the hole. Loftus yelled to the other two jocks. 'Here he comes, get him.' Knapp had ridden into a well-planned booby trap. He had a time proving himself no booby.

"He got me," he said, "boxed. I don't know how, but I managed to stand up on Exterminator. I rode out Jack Metcalfe, he was on Sir Barton, and I grabbed his iron, and I said 'Here you go.' Where Metcalfe was going was over the rail, flipped out of the saddle by a Knapp flick of the wrist on the Metcalfe stirrup. "He started yelling, 'no-no,' and I said, 'Go ahead and yell, you're going.' Then I happened to think, 'I'd put a bet on Exterminator to win. Usually, I bet my horses to place, but this time I had him to win. I couldn't afford the chance, throwing Metcalfe."

Wrapping It Up.

Knapp got back to racing, but Exterminator, riding along with his man and giving the monkey business all the help he could, wasn't able to return his all to horse business in time to win. The great gelding lost by a nose to Cudgel. Knapp said he didn't know, if he had it all to do over, whether he'd throw Metcalfe or not. He'd still bet Exterminator to win, though.

The blonde Miss Hall was plaintive. "The trouble you're getting anyone interested in giving away a horse. All they want to do is talk, talk, talk to Willie here. Can't you at least put in a story how to enter the contest? Now, it's really easy. Every entry must have a wrapper. . ."

See your tobacco store man. Soap wrappers won't do.

University to House Fans for Hambletonian

DU QUOIN, Ill., Feb. 19 (UP)—Southern Illinois University has agreed to help house some of the thousands of visitors who are expected at the thirty-second Hambletonian Stake to be decided next Aug. 27 at the Du Quoin State Fair.

E. J. Hayes, president of the Fair Association, said S.I.U. President D. W. Morris has offered three new residence halls on the campus for housing visitors.

Hayes said the accommodations for approximately 1600 persons will go a long way toward solving the No. 1 problem in the area's first year as host to the world's richest harness race.

The Fair Association is cataloging all hotel and motel rooms in a 50-mile radius of Du Quoin and private rooms in the city.

Arrangements are being made to handle some 50,000 persons at the Hambletonian.

Baptist Basketball

Ballwin reached the final round of Intermediate division play in Baptist Church League basketball by defeating Carondelet, 50-26. Ballwin will play Fourth Baptist for the title.

In other games Fairview was a 70-62 winner over Third Baptist, and Affton defeated Calvary, 46-40. These were senior men's consolation games. Kingshighway won from Lafayette Park, 40-26, in intermediate consolation.

STATE CLASS B BASKET SCORES

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

First Round

AT HICKMAN

Tuesdalia 82, Chamois 57.

St. Louis 108, Augusta 69.

Green Ridge 61, Clinton Springs 57.

Lincoln 58, Ottumwa 41.

AT ALBANY

Honolulu 77, Haverhill 58.

Malta Bend 54, Mercy Academy 53.

Boonville Catholic 52, Alma 33.

Ash Grove 65, Newwood 50.

Rocky Hill 50, Walton Grove 50.

Reeds Spring 67, Verona 50.

Elkhart 48, Wheatland 46.

Black's Creek 66, Collins 52.

Hannibal 75, Phillipsburg 67.

(Overtime)

AT WHEATON

Diamond 67, Blue Eye 36.

St. Clair 50, Madison 46.

Wheaton 61, Southwest City 33.

AT BOSTON

Birch Tree 95, Cherryville 63.

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Annapolis 93, Maryland 57.

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Metro Classic

(AT BOWL-MOR)

Neiger	278	228	197	711
Abem	220	181	202	613
Schottelaw	174	182	237	593
Stunning	232	207	180	619
Probst	224	236	214	654
Totals	1156	1043	980	3179

Parade (1)

Bliss	218	2	3	T.
Tonkovic	174	208	213	597
Jaeger	189	184	181	554
Jaeger	217	221	188	626
Singer	183	183	202	568
Totals	979	618	1048	3045

Parade (2)

Robinson	230	2	3	T.
Delia	184	174	164	522
Vassell	190	177	158	525
Holtzclaw	182	188	181	551
Wassell	213	213	213	639
Totals	1020	967	972	2959

Parade (3)

Nash	210	2	3	T.
Petrov	204	181	200	585
O'Dell	201	179	233	613
Palmer	219	221	192	632
Sutton	179	200	175	554
Totals	1002	991	995	2988

County All-Stars

(at SILVER SHIELD LANES)

Bean	209	192	211	612
Lincoln	201	188	189	578
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Totals	810	768	779	2357

Scotts, Soells Meet Tonight

The Scotts and the Bob Soells will meet tonight at 8 o'clock, with the loser dropping from the Mundy Open basketball tournament. The winner will go into the final round, against Fix Mix Sunday afternoon at Sherman Park, the site of tonight's game. There will be no admission charge tonight.

Both the Scotts and the Soells have lost once in the two-loss-and-one meet. The Soells downed the Scotts in the first round, 72-67, and the Soells were nosed out by Fix Mix overtime Sunday, 87-85. Fix Mix is unbeaten in the playoffs.

If tonight's winner beats Fix Mix Sunday, the two teams will play again for the title a week from tonight at Sherman.

Unbeaten Coccos and one-defeated Manchester, the only teams left in the Closed Division playoffs, meet Sunday afternoon.

C.Y.C. Basketball

Cathedral 60, St. Philip Neri 55. St. Philip Neri 55, St. Francis 50. (Second round, playoffs.) Assumption 50, St. Francis 43. St. Paul 47, Cathedral 43. Holy Innocence 51, Our Lady of the Pillar 28.

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New Athens Winner.

A 15-foot field goal by Jim Woods with only four seconds of play remaining gave New Athens High School's basketball team a 48-46 victory over Cathedral High. Woods had 21 points to pace the scorers. Chuck Hasenstab netted 14 for the losers.

The box score:

New Athens (48):	Cathedral (46):
Woods 27	Schell 20
Reynolds 15	Reynolds 15
P. Keck 1	Dingus 2
Main 0	Bass 2
Shelton 0	Hasenstab 14
Koehler 0	Koehler 0
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In this week's Post!

"Everybody Laughs At Me!"

Newsstands across the country were sold out last week when Victor Borge's own laugh-loaded story started in The Saturday Evening Post! Celebrities and show-business people from coast to coast are acclaiming it as the best—and funniest ever (Bing Crosby says, "Victor's story is hilarious"). Be sure to get your copy early this week and read "Everybody Laughs At Me."

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FOREIGN POLICY CHANGE DENIED BY KHRUSHCHEV

Gromyko Will Carry Out Shepilov's Program, Communist Party Chief Says.

MOSCOW, Feb. 19 (AP)—Nikita Khrushchev said last night replacement of Dmitri Shepilov as Foreign Minister by Andrei Gromyko does not mean a change in Soviet foreign policy.

"Our foreign policy does not depend on any one individual," the Soviet Communist party chief said in a speech. He spoke at a reception for a visiting Bulgarian government-party delegation.

Khrushchev seized the microphone near the end of the party and began a 20-minute speech during which he once again praised the late Joseph Stalin as a great military leader and called him "a man of iron."

Stresses Continuity. In words that seemed aimed at observers abroad, Khrushchev went out of his way to emphasize continuity of Soviet foreign policy.

"Our former Minister of Foreign Affairs, Shepilov, defended our interests," the party leader said. "Gromyko will carry out these policies... Shepilov stated our case very well in his address to the Supreme Soviet (Parliament)... We stand by what he said."

Shepilov was displaced last Friday. He delivered a speech to parliament last Tuesday repeating six points proposed to the Big Three Western powers to deal with the Middle East.

The ex-foreign minister was not at the reception. With other members of the ruling group, Gromyko stood a few paces away from Khrushchev, Gromyko's face was impassive.

Observers here think Gromyko, a career diplomat of long professional standing, is being counted on for a tougher era of international negotiations. Shepilov, former editor of Pravda, was felt to have proved himself inept in the tough arena of international politics in his eight months as Foreign Minister.

Stalin's Leadership. In talking about his switch on Stalin, Khrushchev told hearers "our people and our party won the war under Stalin's leadership and this Stalin we do not want to abandon."

Repeating a post-Stalin line, Khrushchev said the Soviet Union wants to live in peace with everyone "but if anybody jumps on us they'll find out what we're made of. Some people had not learned Hitler's lesson," he said. Khrushchev also defended against Soviet intervention in Hungary.

The Bulgarian delegation headed by Premier Anton Yugov and party boss Todor Zhivkov is expected to sign another of a series of central European unity and friendship communiques tomorrow.

At a Kremlin luncheon Yugov told his hosts Bulgarians are proud "to be called Stalinists and satellites... If they call us Stalinists because we are firm and intolerable to opportunism and revisionism, then we consider that an honor."

He had harsh words for Yugoslavia. He said some Yugoslav papers expressed disappointment that Bulgaria had no uprising like Hungary's.

"Whatever the enemies of socialism accuse us of is their business," he said. His linking of Yugoslavia and "enemies of socialism" startled some diplomats here.

Losses by Algerian Rebels. ALGIERS, Feb. 19 (AP)—French authorities today claimed to have killed, wounded or captured 66 nationalist rebels in two mop-up operations in mountainous areas of eastern Algeria in the last 24 hours.

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Dorothy, 3607 Trent.
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W. and M. Fuller, 8553 Park.
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COMPTROLLER IS STUDYING PLAN TO SPEED TAX SALES

A program to facilitate the sale of tax-acquired properties by the city is under study by Comptroller John H. Poelker, he stated last night in a speech before the Eighth Ward Democratic Club.

The length of time and the present procedures required to effect the sale of these properties discourage prospective buyers, he said.

Poelker said he is studying a method by which these properties may be sold through real estate dealers after minimum values have been set by appraisals.

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EAST ALTON WOMAN SAVES NEIGHBOR, HOME FROM FIRE

An East Alton woman rescued a neighbor, overcome by smoke, from a fire early yesterday, then returned to fight the flames and save the apartment from serious damage.

Miss Leah Carter said the smoke was first detected about 5:30 a.m. when she was preparing to leave for work at the Army Transportation, Supply and Maintenance Command, Twelfth and Spruce streets, where she is assistant librarian. First directing her mother, Mrs. Nettie Carter, and a nephew, James Houseman, to leave their first floor apartment, she rushed to the basement apartment where Miss Dola Smith, overcome by smoke, was lying on her bed, which was aflame.

Miss Carter dragged Miss Smith to safety, then returned to smother the fire with blankets and water. Both women suffered burns of the left arms. The fire apparently was caused by a short circuit in an extension cord. The apartment is at 303 Smith street, East Alton.

LYNDON JOHNSON URGES ADOPTION OF MIDEAST PLAN

Green and Smith Also Call for Support as Formal Debate Gets Under Way.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19 (AP)—Democratic Leader Lyndon F. Johnson of Texas asked the Senate today to adopt the Eisenhower resolution and serve "a clear warning to Communist aggressors to keep out" of the Middle East.

Johnson's remarks came when the Senate finally got around, a day behind schedule, to formal debate on the resolution. The debate was delayed by prolonged consideration yesterday of an appropriations bill.

Senator Theodore F. Green (Dem.), Rhode Island, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, said in calling for adoption of the resolution that it "constitutes both a warning to the Soviet Union and an assurance to the countries of the Middle East."

From Senator H. Alexander Smith (Rep.) New Jersey, there was a plea for the Senate to abandon "partisanship" and give President Eisenhower "full and unconditional support" for action in the Middle East.

Assails Obstructionism.
"Obstructionism and irresponsible division are effective only in destroying the impact abroad of an all-American foreign policy and in befuddling and obscuring the issues for people here at home," Smith said.

Smith gave newsmen a copy of his speech in advance of its actual delivery. Because of the delayed schedule, it was uncertain when he might get the floor.

Johnson said he still hoped that all talk might be concluded by the end of next week, or by March 3 at the latest.

Urging approval of the military-economic program, Smith said the Middle East nations are in need of "immediate assistance" in an effort to bolster their ability to "resist Communism at this critical moment."

Threat of Red Aid.
He said the "continued existence" of the threat of Russia and Red China to send volunteers into the area "is a powerful factor in promoting instability and weakness in the Middle East."

"Hints of a request by Egypt for volunteers if the Israeli army fails to evacuate the Gaza strip and the approaches to the Gulf of Aqaba, and by Yemen in its conflict with Aden, are cogent reminders of the continued existence of this critical situation," he said.

The Middle East resolution, as revised by two Senate committees, announces that the United States is "prepared to use armed forces" to assist nations requesting protection from aggression from "any country controlled by international Communism." And it would allow the President to spend up to \$200,000,000 in foreign aid funds in the next few months to help strengthen Middle East defenses and shore up the economies of those nations.

RETAIL HARDWARE DEALERS OPEN ANNUAL MEETING HERE

Retail hardware dealers of the Missouri Retail Hardware Association opened their fifty-eighth annual convention and forty-second hardware merchandise exhibit here today at Hotel Sheraton-Jefferson.

In opening ceremonies, Francis Knollmeyer of Linn, Mo., president of the association, officially welcomed the group, and was followed by Fred R. Olmstead, director of promotion activities of the National Retail Hardware Association, the keynote speaker.

The three-day convention schedule includes business meetings and talks by industry representatives, a panel discussion, and selection of association officer for the coming year.

WITNESS MISSING, DRUNKEN DRIVING CHARGE IS DROPPED

A charge of driving while intoxicated against Lloyd Spencer, who lives in the 2000 block of Lynch street, was dropped by Assistant City Counselor William H. Freivogel in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday. Freivogel told Judge David W. FitzGibbon that the prosecuting witness could not be found.

Lynch, a mechanic, had taken an appeal to the court from a 30-day workhouse sentence imposed in January, 1956, by City Judge Robert G. Dowd. Dowd also fined Lynch \$25 for careless driving in connection with an automobile accident at Ewing avenue and Pine street on Jan. 13, 1956. It was the driver of the second car that cannot be found now, Freivogel said.

COLLINSVILLE AUTO AGENCY SAFE IS ROBBED OF \$1327

Theft of \$1327 from a safe at the Mollitor Motor Co., Collinsville, was reported to police today.

Burglars broke a rear window at the automobile agency, 524 Vandalla street, to gain entrance, then moved the large safe from an office to the service department. The combination was knocked off and inner compartment was opened without discharging a gas bomb device.

The thieves did not take \$7000 in checks in the safe.

TUCKER SAYS YOUTH GANGS ARE NOT BIG PROBLEM HERE

Problems of juvenile delinquency were discussed last night by Mayor Raymond R. Tucker in an address before the Holy Name Society at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church.

For the last five years, Tucker said, arrests of juveniles under 17 years old in St. Louis have increased about four per cent annually. A lesser increase has been noted in the St. Louis county, Mayor Tucker added. "In comparison with experiences of other metropolitan areas," Mayor Tucker said, "St. Louis is fortunate in that there have been no serious gang activities among juveniles. The problem of juvenile use of narcotics is practically non-existent."

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GRAINS TURN FIRM LATE AT CHICAGO

Much of Day Spent in Aimless Up and Down Movements.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19 (AP)—Grains turned firm late in the session on the Board of Trade today after spending much of the day in aimless up and down movements.

The late rally was led by corn and soybeans but wheat also joined in. During the morning wheat had suffered losses running to around a cent.

"Buying in wheat was stimulated by an official of additional soil damage during January. Corn was helped by the fact the Government yesterday rejected all bids for corn from exporters.

Prior to the close the House Agriculture Committee approved a bill to increase soil bank payments to farmers to cut down acreage of corn and other feed grains.

Wheat closed 1c to 1 1/2c higher, corn 1 1/4c to 1 1/2c higher, oats 1/4c to 1/2c higher, soybeans 1/4c to 1/2c higher, and soybean meal 1/4c to 1/2c higher.

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5th 10 lines (consecutive) 35c
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CHICAGO, Feb. 19 (AP)—Grains turned firm late in the session on the Board of Trade today after spending much of the day in aimless up and down movements.

The late rally was led by corn and soybeans but wheat also joined in. During the morning wheat had suffered losses running to around a cent.

"Buying in wheat was stimulated by an official of additional soil damage during January. Corn was helped by the fact the Government yesterday rejected all bids for corn from exporters.

Prior to the close the House Agriculture Committee approved a bill to increase soil bank payments to farmers to cut down acreage of corn and other feed grains.

Wheat closed 1c to 1 1/2c higher, corn 1 1/4c to 1 1/2c higher, oats 1/4c to 1/2c higher, soybeans 1/4c to 1/2c higher, and soybean meal 1/4c to 1/2c higher.

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SENATORS TO BACK WEBER AS U.S. JUDGE

No Opposition to Poplar Bluff Republican at Seven-Minute Hearing.

By JAMES DEAKIN
A Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A Senate judiciary subcommittee was expected to give quick approval to the nomination of Circuit Judge Randolph H. Weber of Poplar Bluff as a United States district judge in St. Louis, after a brief hearing yesterday.

No opposition to the nomination was expressed at the seven-minute hearing. Afterward, Senator James O. Eastland (Dem.), Mississippi, subcommittee chairman, told reporters: "I will vote for him (Weber)."

Other subcommittee members

are Senators Thomas C. Hennings Jr. (Dem.), Missouri, who has supported the nomination, and Arthur V. Watkins (Rep.), Utah. The appointment will go later to the full judiciary committee, of which Eastland also is chairman.

Weber Attends.
The 47-year-old Weber, nominated by President Eisenhower earlier this month to be district judge for the eastern district of Missouri, with headquarters in St. Louis, was present at the hearing.

Indorsements of his nomination were read in the record from the St. Louis Bar Association and the American Bar Association's standing committee on the federal judiciary. Strong support also was expressed by Senator Stuart Symington (Dem.), Missouri, and by a spokesman for Hennings. Symington told Eastland the Poplar Bluff jurist was held in high esteem by both Democrats and Republicans in Missouri. He said he had received many letters about the nomination, none of them in opposition. Weber is a Republican.

Bar's Indorsement.
A telegram from Richard D. Shewmaker, president of the

St. Louis Bar Association, said the organization was on record as "unhesitatingly" in favor of the appointment.

Eastland questioned Weber briefly on his background before adjourning the hearing with the abruptness that usually means everything has been settled. Also present was Barak T. Mattingly of St. Louis, former Republican national committeeman from Missouri, who backed Weber for the post.

Weber was named to fill the vacancy left by the death of Judge Rube M. Hulen last July. The appointment is subject to confirmation by the Senate. The federal post carries a salary of \$22,500 a year and the appointment is for life.

Betsy Blair Seeks Divorce.
HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 19 (AP)—Actress Betsy Blair established residence in Las Vegas yesterday to divorce Gene Kelly, her husband for more than 15 years. Miss Blair, who played the wallflower sweetheart in the Oscar-winning movie "Marty," married the dancing star Sept. 22, 1941. They have a daughter, Kerry, 14.

BILL BANGERT QUILTS AS BERKELEY MAYOR

Resigns to End Disputes as New Government Is Put Into Effect.

Mayor Bill Bangert of Berkeley, who has been at odds with Berkeley's Board of Aldermen, submitted his resignation last night to permit the board to put a new council-city manager form of government into effect without factional disputes.

The board accepted the resignation and appointed Ralph M. Aston, president pro tem, to serve as mayor until councilmen are elected April 2 under the new government form approved recently by Berkeley voters. Bangert had opposed the change.

Also resigning last night was William Becker, special counsel appointed by Bangert. Bangert and seven aldermen had been at odds over this and

other appointments made by the Mayor.

Under a new home-rule charter adopted last Wednesday, the office of mayor will be eliminated in Berkeley. A council of seven members will be created and they will appoint a city manager. Councilmen will be selected at the April 2 election, two at large and one from each of five wards.

"I opposed this proposal to the best of my ability down to the last moment," Mayor Bangert said in his letter of resignation. "Nevertheless, I hasten to say that I will always be willing to fight for and protect the rights of every citizen to have his own opinion and express it by his vote."

Bangert, who has been elected Mayor three times, said he feared delays might occur in putting the council-manager government into effect as a result of the "bitter differences now existing in our official family."

The Mayor declared his resignation would place the board in position to assume its responsibility in making the new government form effective "without controversy or differences of any kind."

MISSOURI BEGINS INVESTING FUNDS IN U.S. SECURITIES

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 19.—The state of Missouri has \$10,000,000 of state treasury funds invested at interest in United States short term securities, the first such profitable use of treasury funds since about 1875, State Treasurer M. E. Morris said today.

Morris purchased the federal securities under one of the provisions of an amendment to the Missouri Constitution, adopted by voters last November.

The purchases included \$5,000,000 of federal Treasury certificates maturing March 21, bearing 2.65 per cent interest, and \$5,000,000 of 90-day federal Treasury bills, bearing 3.19 per cent interest.

Morris plans to put an additional \$17,000,000 to \$18,000,000 in federal securities at interest for limited periods when the buyers of \$25,000,000 of state building bonds sold last Feb. 13 make payment to the state April 15.

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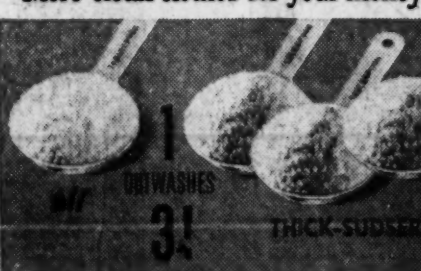
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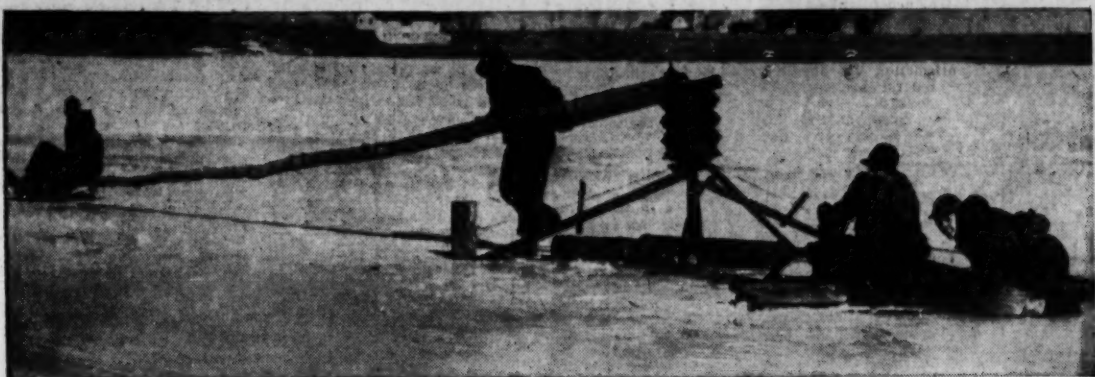
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WINTER SPORT WITH A DIFFERENCE



POPCORN PRISONER

Troubled expression is worn by 5-year-old Larry Parke as firemen work to free his hand from popcorn machine in a Kansas City (Mo.) bowling alley yesterday. Firemen partially dismantled the machine and the boy was soon released, with only minor bruises on his inquisitive fingers.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.

Ice and ingenuity are main ingredients in this variation of winter sport, dreamed up by action-loving residents of Minneapolis, Minn. Sled is propelled by pole geared to dismounted automobile engine, and whistles around the circuit at speeds up to 60 miles an hour. At top, rider is in position and ready to go. In center, passenger hangs on as sled nears top speed. At bottom, rider gives cheerful wave as he parts company with sled.

—Associated Press Wirephoto.



WARM WATCHER

Eyes of Herbert Fiedler peek out from heavy fur muffer as he takes first look at his new country. The weather-wise 3-year-old arrived with his parents in New York recently aboard the transport General Lanfitt. The family, immigrating from Germany, will make their new home in Mott, N. D.

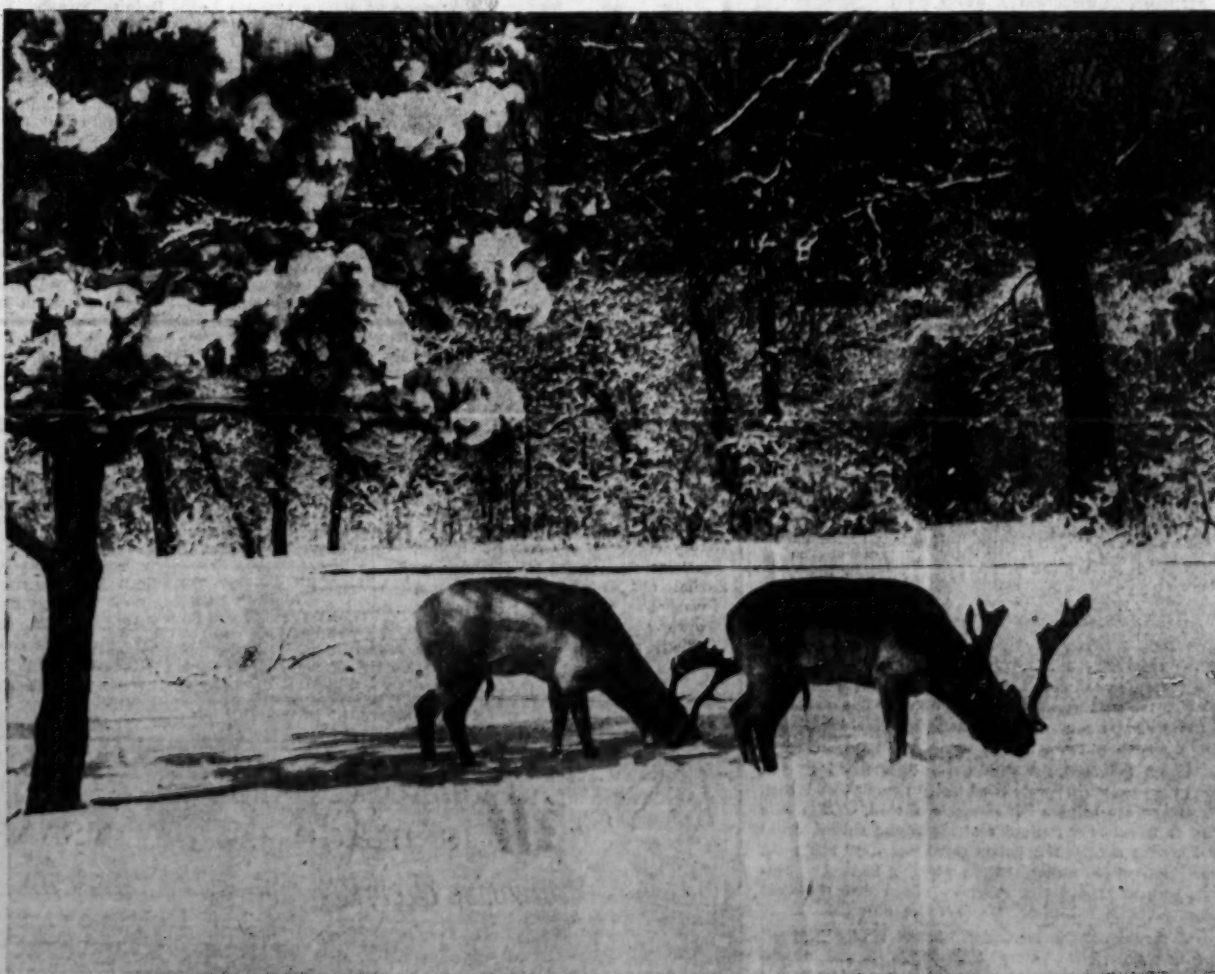
—United Press Photo.



FAMILY TIES AT FATHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

Well represented at the nineteenth annual Father-Daughter banquet of Webster College and Nerinx Hall last night was the Coburn family, of 768 Tuxedo avenue, Webster Groves. Nerinx Hall trio, hemming in their father, William H. Coburn, are (from left) Mary, a freshman; Cynthia, a sophomore, and Pat, a junior. Banquet was at Hotel Chase.

—By a Post-Dispatch Photographer.



RARE APPEARANCE

Pastoral scene in Detroit's Belle Isle park as foraging deer hunt for food after heavy snowfall forced them from their deep-woods haunt. Although they live within Detroit's city limits, the wild deer are rarely seen by visitors to the park.

—United Press Wirephoto.

Postcard Hangover Cure

By Stan Delaplane

IN THE INTERESTS of science, I should report that the world's only known cure for the common hangover is served at one place in Mexico City.

It is served at 9 Xolotl—pronounced to rhyme with "show total." When the taxi driver looks blank, you tell him: "The place where they serve pozole. Behind the Cine Cosmos."



STAN DELAPLANE

MESCAL ITSELF would cure the common cold. Like tequila, it comes from the spiky century plant. It comes out about 90 proof. But deceptive.

In each bottle of mescal, they drop a worm from the maguery plant. It gives the mescal flavor they say.

This is not as bad as it sounds. Maguery worms feed on the cactus and are fried sometimes and served like peanuts. The plush Pavillon in New York has them in cans.

FOR A NUMBER of years I have been coming to Mexico without discovering this remarkable pozole cure. Only five pesos, 40 U.S. cents the soup bowl.

Pozole is a corn-based dish from the southern State of Guerrero.

Politicos, cab drivers, generals and laundrymen come to the place with no name on Sunday morning to wipe away the night before.

"And why do they come Saturday afternoon?" I asked.

"To prepare for the next day, Senor."

He said it would take a few minutes to dish up the pozole. In the meantime, have another mescal. Everybody at my table was feeling better already. It is a remarkable cure—curing you even before you start.

IN THE INTERESTS of the Good Neighbor policy, the senora came out of the kitchen and gave me the recipe. (She soaks her corn in lye and washes it. But I think you could use canned hominy.)

Cook 4 1/2 pounds of fine chopped pork meat with 6 1/2 pounds of strips of pig jowls about four hours in a little water. Add 4 1/2 pounds of hominy and salt to taste. Let it warm up and serve in soup bowls with plenty of the soup from the pork.

On top of this sprinkle chopped onion. A few pinches of oregano. A pinch of red chili powder. Squeeze in a half a lemon. Lay on top a half dozen sardines and a half dozen strips of avocado.

THE SENORA gave this recipe in kilos, a kilo being 2.2 pounds. When I worked it out, it seemed like a good deal.

"This must cure many hangovers. This is the recipe for your kitchen?"

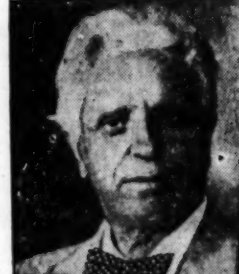
"No, Senor!" she said. "Just for the average family. About 10 persons."

I don't know how it is in your family. But if I had a family of 10 persons, I would consider it more than average. And if they all had hangovers—well, man!

A Good Start

By Angelo Patri

IN our busy day, we often forget to carry along from the past the ideas that an older generation found helpful. Those old proverbs mean more than their simple words might convey to us, if we stop long enough to think about them.



ANGELO PATRI

Take "Well begun is half done." That is a powerful bit of fact which, if taken to heart, would improve the attitude and the work, add to the success and happiness of many a worker. A bit of extra care at the start of the job can make all the difference in the world at its finish.

If, in the shop, the teacher insists that the first line be set truly, carefully measured, tried by the T-square, the first cut made true to the line, the rest of the job will be so much easier that the task will be a joy. But let that first line be out an eighth of an inch, and the rest of the job will be what is rightly known as a "headache."

THIS IDEA HOLDS GOOD in every place and time. The mother who starts the children on a correct diet, a carefully worked out routine will have a happier, smoother life with the children than otherwise. If a child starts his day rightly, rising on time, performing his morning duties on something near schedule, he will have a happier and more successful day than if he stays a few minutes longer in bed, delays dressing, has to look for his belongings and race to school to get in as the last bell rings. His whole day will be colored by a bad start.

The teacher should pay special heed to "Well begun is half done." By having the day's work planned, the needed material on hand, the desk set and the room in order before the children appear, she will be free to give her whole mind to important things.

THE FIRST EXPERIENCE of any sort that a child faces should be set beforehand, whenever possible, to make it a pattern for all other occasions of the sort. Prepare carefully for the first trip to the dentist, to the hospital, to visit in a friend's home. The first experience is what gives the child his understanding of the situation. If it is a happy one, fortune blesses him and his elders. If it is an unhappy failure, what a trial lies ahead.

"Well begun is half done." If, in the storehouse of your memory there are a few such proverbs waiting, dust them off and make use of them. They are the distilled wisdom of bygone generations.

Try and Stop Me

By Bennett Cerf

IN Tokyo, reports Maurice Dolbier, Elji Yoshikawa, author of "The Helix Story," declared an income last year of something like \$60,000, and another writer, Matsutaro Kawaguchi, earned only slightly less. They were more than double the figure reported by a reigning Japanese film queen and five times that of Nippon's best-paid baseball player.

WYSTAN AUDEN became the first American citizen ever to hold the post of Professor of Poetry at Oxford University. Opponents protested that Auden, as an undergraduate at Oxford, earned only a lowly "Third Class" in his final examinations. His champions had only to quote Sir Walter Raleigh in reply: "The scholars end up in First Class—and the poets smile at them from the Third."

Troubles Pile High for Duke of Duval

Murder of Jake Floyd Jr. Spurred Parr Foes; Now He's Bankrupt, Facing Many Charges

(Third and last article of a series.)

By Dickson Terry

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch

SAN DIEGO, Tex., Feb. 19.

JAKE FLOYD is a tall, thin lawyer, a little past middle age, who dresses like a man of distinction and smokes his cigars with an air of elegance. But you don't have to talk to him very long to realize that he is a salty Texan, tough and wiry, and not afraid of the devil himself.

He was one of the few people down here in Duval and Jim Wells counties who weren't afraid of George Parr, better known as the Duke of Duval, who, like his father before him, made these two counties, and several more, into one of the most rigidly controlled political empires in the country. Parr did it by a combination of violence and benevolence. He threw various types of pet graft to those who went along with him. He maintained a little army of 200 "special deputies" who took care of those who didn't.

Floyd was one of those who didn't, and he paid a high price. The loss of his only son, for years Floyd had been outspoken in his denunciation of Parr and his methods.

"It was obvious on the face of it what the man was," Floyd now says. "Anyone could see that his salary as county judge, and his income from oil land wasn't enough to let him live like a multi-millionaire. The money had to be coming from somewhere, and everyone knew where it was coming from. But they were afraid to talk. Even the other lawyers would stop me on the street and tell me not to cross George Parr."

Floyd was one of the members of the Freedom party, a small group founded by some war veterans and others who didn't like the way things were done in the Land of Parr.

ON the night of Sept. 8, 1952, Floyd was at his home in Alice. He got a telephone call from a man named Nago Alinez, one of Parr's deputies. Alinez, excited, urged Floyd to meet him immediately at a rendezvous on the edge of town. Alinez told him to take a taxi, not his own car.

Floyd told his son, Jake Jr., a 22-year-old law student, that he was going out to meet a Parr man. When he arrived at the spot, Alinez told him that plans were made to assassinate him that night. He, Alinez, was to furnish an alibi for the killers. There were several of them, led by a man named Mario Sapei.

Floyd, like everyone else, knew Sapei. He was a former saloon keeper from San Antonio who now carried a card making him a special deputy, and he had swaggered around the Land of Parr, brandishing a revolver.

Floyd hurried home, and there in the driveway, lay the body of his son. He had been shot through the head by a killer who obviously had mistaken him for the elder Floyd. Nearby in a trash can they found Mario Sapei's gun.

But the actual gunman, it was brought out in the investigation, was an imported killer named Alfredo Cervantes, who had fled to Mexico. Sapei was tried as an accessory and sentenced to 99 years in prison. Efforts to find Cervantes and bring him back have been fruitless. But an emissary, who talked to him in Mexico said he had complained bitterly that he had never been paid for the job, because he shot the wrong man.

The murder of young Floyd did more than anything else to galvanize the Freedom party into action. But even before that there were signs that the



GEORGE PARR, THE DUKE OF DUVAL, AND SOME OF HIS ASSOCIATES FOLLOWING THEIR INDICTMENT BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY LAST YEAR. THEY ARE, FROM LEFT: JESUS G. GARZA, D. C. CHAPA, B. F. DONALD JR., PARR, OSCAR CARRILLO, JESUS OLIVERIA AND O. P. CARRILLO JR.



TEXAS RANGER CAPTAIN FRED ALLEE, WHO SLAPPED PARR WITH A PISTOL DURING AN ALTERCATION BETWEEN PARR AND THE RANGERS.

Parr dynasty was cracking. Gov. Allan Shivers, following the murder of border patrolman Ed Wheeler, had sent Texas Rangers into Duval county to keep an eye on things, and there were always from two to a dozen Rangers patrolling the area.

In an altercation with the Rangers one day, Ranger Captain Fred Allee slapped Parr across the ear with a pistol. Parr charged the Rangers with violating his civil rights. Immediately five members of the Freedom party filed an intervening suit, charging that Parr had violated their civil rights for years.

Parr became so nervous about the activities of the Freedom party that he and his deputies started spying on their meetings.

Manuel Marroquin, a tortilla maker, was one of the few Latin-Americans who had the courage to defy Parr. He started a little newspaper. He was pistol whipped by Parr's deputies who told him, "You talk too damn much in your paper." He then started a tortilla business but Parr put him out of business.

Parr was spying on a Freedom party meeting at Marroquin's house when Marroquin came out. Parr, he charged, beat him over the head with a pistol. Parr was arrested. He claimed he only hit Marroquin with his field glasses. But he was convicted and fined. The fine was only \$150, but it happened in Parr's own kingdom, was a straw in the wind.

Today's Brain Game

HISTORY is the subject of today's quiz. Six answers correct are excellent.

1. Where did Sir Humphrey Gilbert establish the first British colony in North America in 1583?
2. William Henry Herndon was the law partner of what famous American?
3. What American politician was known as the "Little Giant"?
4. What edict granted tolerance to the Huguenots?
5. John Stark was from which colony?
6. The Treaty of Portsmouth ended what war?
7. What treaty ended the Thirty Years' war?
8. Who led the settlers of Connecticut?

Answers.

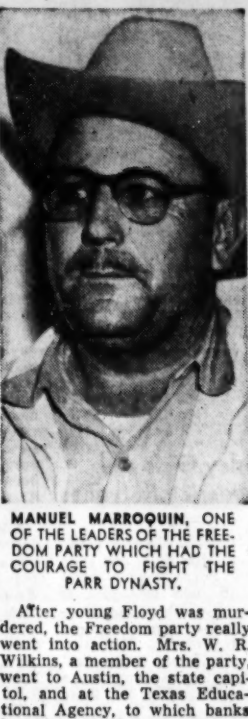
1. St. John's, Newfoundland.
2. Abraham Lincoln.
3. Stephen A. Douglas.
4. Edict of Nantes.
5. New Hampshire.
6. Russo-Japanese war.
7. Treaty of Westphalia.
8. Thomas Hooker.

Drum Trap

Most bathtubs have drum traps which are set into the floor with a metal cover flush with the floor. To clean these traps, use a wrench to remove the metal cap and then scoop out the solid matter that has collected in the trap.

OFF THE RECORD

By Ed Reed



MANUEL MARROQUIN, ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE FREEDOM PARTY WHICH HAD THE COURAGE TO FIGHT THE PARR DYNASTY.

After young Floyd was murdered, the Freedom party really went into action. Mrs. W. R. Wilkins, a member of the party, went to Austin, the state capital, and at the Texas Educational Agency, to which banks handling school funds must report in detail, she found some strange things.

Mrs. Wilkins knew the names of most of the people in San Diego, the county seat of Duval county. But she found that a lot of Latin-Americans, whose names she never heard of, had been receiving large sums of money from the school funds.

She came back and got together with an oil company employee named J. L. McDonald, whose husband had been killed by Parr's men. McDonald had been appointed by the new county judge to a three-man commission to draw up an honest grand jury. For years Parr had hand-picked the grand jurors.

Parr went to McDonald and offered him a job at \$500 a month with nothing particular to do. Then he handed him a list of men he wanted on the grand jury. McDonald saw to it none of them was on the grand jury. Then he got a telephone call saying it was no longer healthy for him to live in Duval county.

McDonald took the evidence Mrs. Wilkins had gathered and went to Austin, where he had copies made of all the school records. Then he came back and had a talk with Diego Heras.

HERAS was Parr's right hand man. How McDonald got him to talk is still something of a mystery, even to McDonald.

"I think he knew the ship was sinking," says McDonald, "and he wanted to get off." Heras admitted that the school checks were forged. Armed with this information, the Freedom party laid the evidence before Gov. Shivers and Attorney General John Ben Shepperd at Austin. They then laid the same evidence before the Internal Revenue Department, the Post Office Department, and the FBI.

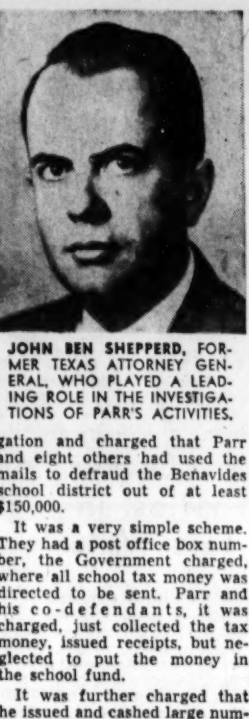
Attorney General Shepperd, whose term has since expired, was the first to move in. Parr tried to convince him that Heras was a psychopathic case and didn't know what he was saying. Shepperd found people in Duval county—except the members of the Freedom party—afraid to talk. Often he had to meet citizens out in the country in the dead of night to gather information.

Shepperd sent back to Austin for help, and a battery of state auditors came to San Diego. Immediately books and records began to disappear like ice on a hot stove. Shepperd had to get injunctions forbidding the county and the school district from removing their records and to enjoin the county from moving funds from one bank to another.

But no matter how much evidence was gathered, there was no chance to indict Parr as long as a Parr follower, Judge Woodrow Laughlin, was on the bench selecting grand jury members. An old law was uncovered which empowered the Texas Supreme Court to remove a judge if 10 lawyers would charge he was unfit. Eleven came forth. The Supreme Court then named A. S. Broadfoot of Bonham, Tex., to sit on the bench. He dismissed Laughlin's hand-picked jurors and ordered an audit of the county books. Parr office holders and school commissioners started falling over each other in their eagerness to resign.

The 1954 county elections found Parr fighting to hold his political power. He did get some of his candidates elected, but it was a major victory for the Freedom party if for no other reason than it was the first genuinely free and secret ballot cast in the Land of Parr in more than 40 years. The polling places were protected by Rangers, and the ballot boxes were impounded by the state as soon as the polls closed.

In the meantime state and federal investigations were going on. The Post Office Department completed its investi-



JOHN BEN SHEPPERD, FORMER TEXAS ATTORNEY GENERAL, WHO PLAYED A LEADING ROLE IN THE INVESTIGATION OF PARR'S ACTIVITIES.

gation and charged that Parr and eight others had used the mails to defraud the Benavides school district out of at least \$150,000.

It was a very simple scheme. The Government charged, where all school tax money was directed to be sent. Parr and his co-defendants, it was charged, just collected the tax money, issued receipts, but neglected to put the money in the school fund.

It was further charged that he issued and cashed large numbers of checks to fictitious persons, totaling nearly \$200,000, that he regularly issued "bonus" checks to members of the school board and to various relatives, and that members of the board and relatives regularly changed things like gasoline, lumber, furniture and so forth to the school fund.

Parr was tried and convicted by the state on a charge of stealing from the Benavides school fund, and on Jan. 29 was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He promptly appealed and was released on bond, but that was just the beginning.

He is scheduled to go on trial March 11, in Houston, on the mail fraud indictments. On March 4 he is due in court at

San Diego on an indictment charging forgery of school checks. He faces trial under 12 more state indictments, after which Uncle Sam will be waiting to try him not only for income tax evasion, but on a charge of stealing county funds to pay his income taxes.

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Today, the Windmill is deserted. If you ask about Parr, you get nothing but a shrug. Ask where he is, and nobody knows. His mansion and his office are dark.

But across the street at the San Diego, the joint is rocking. It is filled with people and they no longer keep one eye on the door. Among them is Manuel Marroquin, the tortilla maker who, like most Latin Americans, has always referred to Parr by his nickname, "the possum."

"The Possum?" says Marroquin with a shrug. "He is dead. He may not know it, but he is dead."

THE END

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But across the street at the San Diego, the joint is rocking. It is filled with people and they no longer keep one eye on the door. Among them is Manuel Marroquin, the tortilla maker who, like most Latin Americans, has always referred to Parr by his nickname, "the possum."

"The Possum?" says Marroquin with a shrug. "He is dead. He may not know it, but he is dead."

THE END

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Words, Wit
And Wisdom
By William Morris

Gleason, Carney and their Latin Roots

"ON a recent Jackie Gleason show," reports a reader, "there was a scene with Gleason and Carney in a life raft in midocean. Gleason observed that it was a heck of a spot for two 'land-lubbers' to be in and Carney noted that in Gleason's case the word should be 'land-blubber.' Still later Carney referred to the pair of them as flotsam and jetsam on a life raft."

"When the show was over, a group of us got into a discussion of these two terms. I contended that 'landblubber' is just another form of 'land-lubber,' but an ex-sailor who was visiting us said it means something much worse than that. Also he contends that 'flotsam and jetsam' means something more than just wreckage—but he was pretty hazy about the distinction. Would you clear the whole matter up for us?"

YOUR "HAZY" sailor is heading toward the right course on both of these points. I shouldn't be difficult to square the whole matter up for us?

"Landlubber," to begin with, has nothing to do with "land-lubber." A "lubber," from the Middle English "lubre," is a clumsy, awkward lout—usually oversized, at that. A "landlubber," then, is what a skilled seaman calls an awkward, inexperienced sailor. It is, of course, a term of derision and contempt—though I must confess I heard much stronger epithets during my seafaring days in World War II.

"FLOTSAM and jetsam" is a term loosely used to designate floating wreckage. Properly speaking, though, this floating wreckage of a ship or its cargo is "flotsam" only. "Jetsam" is that part of a ship's cargo which is deliberately thrown overboard to lighten her when she is in danger. In British law, "jetsam" is that part of the "flotsam" cargo which sinks and remains under water, but this is a distinction not always observed in American courts.

The word "jetsam," by the way, is etymologically the same as "jetsam," since both come from the Old French word "getaison," which in turn comes from the Latin "jactare," to hurl or throw. And isn't this a far cry from Jackie Gleason and Art Carney? Away we went!

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By for and about Women

Social Activities

Miss Jane Haeussler Bride of R. F. O'Brien

By Margaret Allen Ruhl

THE wedding of Miss Jane Marie Haeussler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Haeussler, to Robert E. O'Brien took place at noon today at the Haeussler home, 5767 Lindell boulevard. Only members of the immediate families gathered in the living room to hear the ceremony performed by Judge Louis Comerford.

From 4 to 6 o'clock this afternoon a few additional guests, mainly relatives, will call to offer their congratulations at an informal reception.

The bride wore a blue-gray wool suit, with a matching hat and white blouse, and a corsage of white orchids. She was attended by Mrs. James H. Howe III (Betty Scudder), who wore a gray suit and hat. Joseph Hunter was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien will fly to the British West Indies on their wedding trip, returning in two weeks to live at 825 South Hanley road, Clayton.

A graduate of the Rossmann School and Mary Institute, the bride made her debut in the 1946 season at the St. Louis Woman's Club and was a maid of honor at the Veiled Prophet ball that year. She is a member of the Junior League. She has two half-brothers, Edward William and John C. Page.

Mr. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. O'Brien, 3542 Crittenden street, is a graduate of Campden Preparatory School, Prairie du Chien, Wis., and St. Louis University. Later he studied in the university's Graduate School. In World War II he served in the Air Force. He is a member of the Missouri Athletic Club.

Former St. Louisan to Visit Here.

MR. AND MRS. RICHARD RANDOLPH KENNON of Richmond, Va., accompanied by their baby daughter, Nancy Randolph, will arrive here next week for a two-week visit. They will divide their time between the homes of Mrs. Kennon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Joy Goodbar, 801 South McKnight road, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Semple, 11 Danfield road, both in Ladue. They will be entertained informally by Mr. Kennon is the younger brother of Mrs. William H. Laird.

The baby, whose mother was Miss Nancy Goodbar, will meet her relatives for the first time. Mr. and Mrs. Semple recently returned from a trip East. They went to Wayne, Pa., to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Rogers (Virginia Goodbar) and to Media, Pa., to be the guests of another brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Billingsley (Suzanne Goodbar).

Later the Semples went to Maine. They stayed in their summer cottage at Lovell, 60 miles from Portland, which becomes a winter resort several months of the year, and participated in winter sports.

Dinner And Theater Party For Miss Lamy.

MRS. ROBERT C. COBLEY, 13 Upper Ladue road, gave a dinner party at the University Club last evening for her niece, Miss Julia Maffitt Lamy, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamy.

The tables were decorated with yellow and white spring flowers.

After the dinner the guests went to the American Theater to see the opening of "The Great Sebastians," starring Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne.

Guests included Miss Helene Bakewell, Miss Sarah Jane Scott, Miss Jane Thatcher, Miss Barbara Persons, Miss Carol Smith, Miss Ellen Corley, daughter of the hostess; James E. Darst Jr., R. Michael Powell III, William Steinbrueck, George Stemmler, Bruce Anderson and Samuel W. Polk.

Miss Lamy was a special maid of honor at the Veiled Prophet ball last October.

Trip to Paris for Contest Winner.

TWO round trip airplane tickets to Paris will be awarded the winner of the contest to name the new ballroom of the Chase Hotel at its opening event, the Spirit of St. Louis Ball Tuesday night, March 5, for the benefit of the capital fund of the Missouri Historical Society.

Described in the ball invitations as a "truly fabulous prize" and kept secret until today, the award is the gift of a public spirited St. Louis person who prefers to remain anonymous. Mrs. Jack Flynn, ball chairman, has announced. The tickets may be used at a time convenient for the recipient.

Participants in the contest are limited to those who send in suggested names with their reservations to the party before March 5. The awarding of the prize will climax an evening of gaiety beginning with cocktails at 7:30 o'clock and continuing through dinner and dancing to Guy Lombardo's orchestra. As the entries arrive they are put in a vault in the Missouri Historical Society.

Members of the Women's Association of the Historical Society which, with Stix, Baer and Fuller, is co-sponsoring the ball, are staffing offices in Jefferson Memorial to handle reservations.

The committees are: publicity, Mrs. John Brabson Trent and Mrs. William H. Charles; contest and theme, Mrs. Eric P. Newman; entertainment, Mrs. Harold Koplar; souvenir, Mrs. Henry C. Lowenhaupt; finance, Mrs. William G. Marbury; promotion, Mrs. John B. Mitchell; decorations, Mrs. Arthur M. Christophel and Mrs. Paul Wehmiller; invitations, Mrs. George T. Lutz and Mrs. Philip B. Cady; guest list, Mrs. G. Gordon Hertslet; reservations, Mrs. David Wells, Mrs. Vilray P. Blair Jr., and Mrs. George F. McKay; sponsors, Mrs. James Rush James Jr.; telephone, Mrs. C. Alvin Tolin Jr. and Mrs. Richard S. Hawes Jr.; dinner menu, Mrs. Ralph J. Hager; facilities, Mrs. William H. L. Smith; advisory, Mrs. Robert Neill, Mrs. Oscar Johnson and Mrs. Francis A. Mesker.

Judge and Mrs. Ivan Lee Holt Jr., 56 Kingsbury place, will give a reception Saturday afternoon in honor of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John William Hoxie who were married Jan. 22 in Vienna. At the time of her wedding the bride, the former Miss Mary Diana Depping, was a student in Miss Child's School in Florence, Italy. Mr. Hoxie was studying painting in Florence. Mr. and Mrs. Hoxie, who arrived in this country last week, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoxie, Scarborough, N.Y. They are expected to come to St. Louis tomorrow. Guests have been invited to meet the newly married pair between 4 and 6 o'clock. Mrs. Holt's mother, Mrs. J. S. Edwards of Kansas City, will be here for the party.

Buying Contest Award



MRS. GEORGE F. McKAY, LEFT, TREASURER OF THE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF THE MISSOURI HISTORICAL SOCIETY, BUYS TWO ROUND-TRIP TICKETS TO PARIS FROM MISS BETTY CUNNINGHAM, RIGHT, T.W.A. TICKET AGENT, TO BE AWARDED AT THE SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS BALL MARCH 5, TO THE WINNER OF A CONTEST TO NAME THE CHASE HOTEL'S NEW BALLROOM. LOOKING ON IS MRS. J. DOUGLAS STREETT WHO WAS AT LE BOURG ET AIR FIELD WHEN LINDBERGH ARRIVED THERE ON HIS FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK. THE BALL WILL BENEFIT THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Webster Groves Activities in Late Winter

A GROUP of three couples will leave by motor Thursday for a Mexican holiday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Lyman F. Barrows, 344 Jefferson road; Mr. and Mrs. Pete French, 147 Cornelia avenue, Glendale; and Mrs. Sherman S. Senne, 310 Selma avenue.

After visits to Taxco, Oaxaca and Acapulco, they will spend a week at El Mirador. Departing Thursday for a several-week holiday in the West was Mrs. Harold A. Goodrich, 52 South Rock Hill road. She is the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodrich, and their two children, Virginia Morgan and Edward Goodrich Jr., in Bakersfield, Calif. She will also spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams, Beverly Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Court Lippincott departed Wednesday for Detroit, where they will live. The Lippincotts, former residents of Webster Groves, have been living in Columbia, Mo., where he did graduate work at the University of Missouri. Mrs. Lippincott is the former Miss Susan Denty.

Miss Nancy Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Adams, 31 South Rock Hill road, and Miss Barbara Newby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max W. Newby, 473 Oakwood avenue, were pledged to Pi Beta Phi sorority last week at Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., where both are freshmen. They will be home in April for a spring holiday.

Algonquin Golf Club will have a formal dinner dance Saturday night, starting at 7 o'clock. Decorations will be on the George Washington theme.

The Saturday Night Dancing Club will have a party Saturday night at the Monday Club. Dinner will be served at 8:30 o'clock by a committee headed by Mayer and Mrs. William Guffey. Afterward there will be dancing.

The evening will begin with two cocktail parties starting at 7 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bashford will be host and hostess at their home, 137 Plant avenue, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. George N. Bishop Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bickel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Terrell Vaughan, 145 Helfenstein avenue, will give the other party assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Cott-

Wellesley Girls Aid Hungarian Refugees

MISS NANCY ELOISE BAKER and Miss Sally and Miss Susan Berger, have been selected to help introduce to American life 10 young Hungarian refugee women who are special students at Wellesley College. Wellesley is the first women's college to conduct a program specifically for these refugees.

Qualified Wellesley students are giving the Hungarians individual help in English, after they themselves have had special work under the direction of Miss Dorothy M. Dennis, professor of French, in methods of teaching English as a foreign language. Other students have been chosen to be guides and interpreters on excursions to the town of Wellesley and other Boston-area cultural, historical and business centers.

Co-ordinating the special program for the Hungarian women is Miss Carol M. Roehm, foreign student adviser at the college who for five years was director of the summer Wellesley Institute for foreign students.

Miss Baker's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Baker, 5275 Westminster place, while the Berger sisters are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Berger, 103 Lake Forest, Richmond Heights.

The second annual dessert card party and children's fashion show sponsored by the Fontbonne College Alumnae Association will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. in Medaille hall on the campus of the college. The entire proceeds will be donated to the Sisters of St. Joseph, Fontbonne College.

Mrs. Lester Fries and Mrs. Joseph A. Sheehan Jr. are serving as co-chairmen of the party. They will be assisted by Mrs. William M. Barry, Mrs. E. B. Von Doerfer, Mrs. Richard Malecek, Mrs. Frank Jostrand, Mrs. Thomas Tlapcek and Mrs. Robert E. Ryan.

Children of alumnae members will model clothes which will be provided by Junior Bazaar of Clayton.

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My Day

Comment On Stand By Israel

By Eleanor Roosevelt

PHOENIX, Ariz. ISRAEL seems to be the one nation in the Middle East that clearly knows what it wants and is not going to be moved by any promises short of actual assurances it feels will guarantee its survival.

To withdraw from the Gaza strip and the Gulf of Aqaba, permitting the Egyptians to move in, would lead to war and not to peace. So it is reasonable that the Israelis cannot see why the rest of us spend our time trying to think up ways that would bring about their withdrawal without a promise from Egypt that she will not return to those areas.

If we were as firm as the Israelis, that promise might be forthcoming. But so far we seem to be letting Gamal Abdel Nasser make the decisions and finding ways to implement them.

IN THE PAST FEW DAYS every reporter I have seen has asked me what significance I attach to the choice of Andrei Gromyko as successor to Dmitri Shepilov as head of the Foreign Ministry of the Soviet Union.

I do not think there is any real significance except that Gromyko had spent a good deal of time in this country and ought to understand it better than almost any other Russian official.

I doubt if this appointment means any real change in Soviet policy, although I am quite sure that if Gromyko wanted to propitiate the United States he would know how to go about it.

I WAS IN Fresno, Calif., Friday night and was much interested to see that city growing, especially its suburbs. We dined in a restaurant called Iran. It serves Armenian food which is as good as that at Omar Khayyam's in San Francisco. My dinner there was delicious, even to the rose petal jelly which I always enjoy.

While in Fresno I learned a little about the convention business. The city has a convention manager who travels widely to solicit groups to hold their annual conventions in Fresno and helps groups make their conventions in that city successful.

WE RETURNED to San Francisco Saturday morning where I listened to a panel at which former Senator Herbert H. Lehman of New York and my son, James, were presiding.

There, I heard an able explanation of the difference between the Democratic loyalty program and the Republican security program which went into effect under an executive order soon after the President's inauguration.

Few people, I think, realize that under this order practically every Government department set up its own little Gestapo system and has been able to suspend or dismiss people for



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Women's Clubs

Concordia Guild To Note Silver Anniversary

By Fay Profflet

DR. ALFRED REHWINKEL, professor of historical theology, psychology and ethics at Concordia Seminary, will be the speaker at the silver anniversary tea to be given Friday at 1:30 p.m. by Concordia Seminary Guild. The affair will be held in Loeb hall on the campus, 801 DeMun avenue, Clayton. Dr. Rehwinkel has just returned from a six-month tour around the world. His subject will be "The Geographical and Historical Background of the Present Crisis in the Middle East."

The proceeds of the tea will go towards the project chosen by the guild for its silver anniversary year, a fund of \$2500 to be used for kitchen equipment at the Field House.

Serving at the tea table will be Mrs. Alfred Fuerbringer, wife of the president of Concordia Seminary, and Mrs. A. H. Vrum, wife of the first vice president of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. Hostesses for the tea will be Mrs. Oscar P. Brauer, president of the guild, and the following members of the executive board: Mrs. Otto A. Sohn, Mrs. Herbert Bouman, Mrs. Arthur Klueck, Mrs. Arthur K. Piepkorn, Mrs. Davis Schuller, Mrs. Elmer Kettner, Mrs. Walter Brauer and Mrs. Leonard Wuerffel.

Colonial Luncheon.

MRS. NORBERT MURRER, 824 Bricken place, Kirkwood, will be hostess at a desert luncheon for the Windsor Acres Garden Club next Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Paul P. Cobb and Mrs. Paul C. Knowlton.

After the business meeting, conducted by the president, Mrs. W. Calvin Clippinger, a program will be given by Mrs. William P. Tuggle Jr., a former resident of historic Williamsburg, Va. Wearing a farthingale from the Williamsburg costume department, she will illustrate her talk, "Gardens of Williamsburg," with colored slides.

The Zonta Club of St. Louis County will hold its annual benefit card party Friday at 8 p.m. at Queen's Daughters Home, 3730 Lindell boulevard. Miss Marian Tischer is general chairman. Mrs. Tischer and Miss Ann Schall, president, have appointed 15 committees for the affair.

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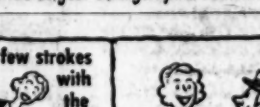
The most significant accomplishments by the National Democratic Committee in its meeting, I think, were the endorsement of Paul M. Butler as national chairman and the approval of the National Advisory Council.

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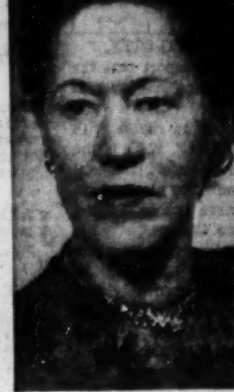
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Heads Officers

Fashion Show, Luncheon for Temple Club



MRS. JOHN C. ROSS

MRS. JOHN C. ROSS will be installed as president of the Mothers' Club of the School of Commerce and Finance of St. Louis University tonight at 8 o'clock at the school, 3674 Lindell boulevard.

In addition to Mrs. Ross, the Rev. Thomas Bowdern, S.J., will install the following: Mrs. James Locher and Mrs. Edwin H. Styffe, vice presidents; Mrs. Thomas James, treasurer; Mrs. Samuel Forder, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Robert L. Cook, secretary. Mrs. Joseph Lipic Jr., is the retiring president.

The program chairman, Mrs. Arthur Hunthausen, will present St. Hedwig Mothers' Club in "Latest in Fashions." The Rev. Joseph E. Boland, S.J., will be the speaker for the evening.

The Child Conservation Conference, Inc., will meet next Tuesday at 1:15 p.m. in the assembly room of the Board of Education, 911 Locust street. Mrs. W. R. Wilkinson, president, will preside. In addition to the regular business session, a film, "A Desk for Billy," will be shown.

The Morning Etude will meet at the College Club tomorrow at 10:30 a.m., at which time the club will commemorate the 100th anniversary of the births of John Philip Sousa and Edgar Sullivan Kelly. Mrs. Fred A. Kennedy will read a paper titled "Stars and Stripes Forever." The musical program, to be given by a group of the members, will be in charge of Mrs. Everett E. Dier and will be dedicated to the "Parade of American Music" of the National Federation of Music Clubs.

Mrs. Edward G. Brungard, director of Public Welfare of the City of St. Louis, will speak at a meeting of the Downtown Business and Professional Women's Club this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Mark Twain Hotel. Decorations will emphasize Washington's birthday.

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Martha Carr's

OPINION—

Dear Martha:
PLEASE help me. I feel like the whole world is against me. I am 18 and the fellow I go with is 20. My family is doing its best to break us up. I can't see why the members of my family don't leave us alone. Martha, they



are always nagging at me because he is at our house most of the time and he never takes me out. I'm not complaining. He only makes \$35 a week and I know he doesn't have the money to go out. I have been going with him three months and I'm wearing his ring and he is trying to save money to buy an engagement ring. We are going to be married in a year, I hope. I know he won't have to go

NANCY LEE.

No one should criticize a boy just because he isn't earning much, but unless he is ambitious, had a good chance of advancement and prospects of a steadily increasing income, he really won't be able to support you very well. I realize that money is far from the most important thing in a good marriage, but when a man proposes to a girl, he has the obligation to support her and provide a home for her unless, by mutual agreement, they decide that she too will work and supplement the family budget. But what's going to happen if you have a family? Then you can't work and his salary won't stretch very far. You have dated him such a short time that even though you feel that you are in love now, I wonder if you really know him well enough to be sure he's the man for you. You must admit that you made a bad choice the last time and your parents had every right to interfere if you were dating a married man. This one is eligible, as you point out, but has he the qualities of character that you really want in a husband? If he is satisfied with a low salary now and isn't trying to improve himself or his chances for the future, I have an idea that he will be satisfied the rest of his life with a mediocre existence. You don't have to spend a lot on a date to have a good time. It would be better for him to walk you to the drug store for a 25-cent soda than to spend all his time just sitting around your house.

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Dear Martha:
I LOVE READING YOUR OPINION OF PEOPLE but I can't understand the letter from "Neighbor." She said a young widow moved in next door and right away she was in this widow's house, taking her out and paying for her lunch and other expenses. Now she is tired of it. I can't see why people can't live in their own homes. Three families have moved next door to me in three years and their names are all LK now. We never visit one another. They live their lives and I live mine. That way I don't have to tell my husband or you about it. This will teach "Neighbor" to live in her own house and let people alone. So, Martha, be plain and forward. Tell people to stay out of other's houses.

J. D.

No one likes an interfering neighbor but isn't there more to being a good neighbor than minding your own business and staying away from others' homes? This reader was trying to do a good deed which happened to backfire. But that shouldn't turn her into a hermit who neither knows nor cares what happens to her neighbors. And carrying about others doesn't mean being a busybody—which is as bad as the other extreme.

Are you planning to entertain at a shower for a bride-elect? Martha Carr's bridal shower leaflet will help you with suggestions for games, decorations and invitations. Be sure to inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request.

Neglected Wife

By Ruth Millett

YOU don't break a husband to double harness by unselfishly urging him to gallop off by himself for a good time.

That is what one reader of this column did with unhappy results. When she and her husband were first married and the children were small it was difficult for her to get away. She started insisting that he go along and have a good time and never mind her, she would be all right.

At first he protested that he hated to leave her alone. But the protests soon stopped. In a short time he didn't even have to be urged to leave his wife at home and go his merry way.

"Now after 10 years of marriage," says the wife, "it is almost as though we weren't married at all. He seems to feel no responsibility either for taking me anywhere or staying at home with me. I know it is my fault. But that doesn't make me any happier. Is there anything I can do about it now?"

There's plenty you can do, if you are sure you have had enough of being the stay-at-home martyr. Have a party, letting your husband know in plenty of time that you'll need him to play host that evening. Get tickets to something you think you would both enjoy. Announce casually that you have tickets for such-and-such on a certain night. Join a club that takes you out for an evening occasionally and ask your husband to stay home with the children. It may be a surprise to him how lonely an evening at home can be after the children are in bed.

Don't complain about how things have been. Just get busy and see that, beginning now, they are more to your liking. You got yourself into the role of neglected wife. And you'll have to get yourself out of it.

Etiquette Questions

By Amy Vanderbilt

"DEAR Miss Vanderbilt: I am going to Mexico City and Acapulco by plane in the near future. We will be in Mexico about 10 days. Can you tell me what type of wardrobe to take? Of course, flying we wish to take as little as possible. What type of shoes—light or dark and so forth—should I take?—B. B. St. Louis, Mo."

In Mexico City the average temperature is 70 degrees and it is cold at night. The winter clothes that you are wearing now in St. Louis would be suitable for Mexico City—dark, conservative street clothes.

A fur jacket, fur coat, fur stole or the winter coat with which you will leave St. Louis will be very comfortable in Mexico City.

Acapulco is tropical. You will need summer clothes and shoes light in color. For Mexico, it is best to have both city and resort shoes in comfortable walking heels. For many streets are cobblestone-paved.

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The Little Woman The Constant Quiz Contest for Mama By Clarissa Start

"A S far back as 30-year-old Charles Van Doren can remember, none of his questions was left unanswered."

So reads a recent story on television's most astounding quiz expert, whose winnings have passed the \$100,000 mark. The story goes on to tell how Van Doren's parents, both writers, had encouraged his intellectual curiosity by answering his questions when he was small and teaching him to seek out answers for himself as he grew up.

I can hardly wait. I mean for the day when they seek out the answers themselves. From what I glean in mama and papa conversations, other parents of 5-year-olds feel the same way.

I HONESTLY do not feel our 5-year-old is especially unusual (oh, a touch of genius here and there), but the questions he asks certainly are. Since, at present, his father is out of the city several days each week, I save up a list of samples of this juvenile intellectual curiosity with which to confound the head of the house each weekend. Here is our latest list. Anyone who wishes to send me answers may do so, as I don't know any of them. For example:

Do you need a special permit to buy a fire engine or can anyone buy one? How much do they cost? How can you tell when a fish is dead? How old do you have to be to get a per-

mit to carry a gun? Do you need a special license to drive a state highway patrol car? What are your eyes made of? Why is it against the law to keep gold? Who gets the new money first when the Government prints it? How much do they print each year? What happens to the old money? Was George Washington's picture always on the one dollar bill? Who took his picture? How old was Abraham Lincoln when he was killed? What kind of gun did the man use who killed him? How long did it take him to die? What did they do to the man who killed him? What happens if somebody

steals something and they go to another country? What does "extradite" mean? How do they carbonate carbonated beverages? How do they make steel? Aluminum? Glass? Bricks? Plastic?

SOME QUESTIONS demand a quick, glib lie, such as, "How old are you, mama?" But others demand a serious, comprehensive answer, such as, "What does it mean, 'Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death'?" As long as he has been able to talk, "What dat mean?" has followed the use of any long or unfamiliar word, and I have learned how totally inadequate are my powers of definition. Yes, I know, use the dictionary, but the dictionary is in the bookcase and we are usually at the dinner table. Moreover, trying to explain in language fit for a five-year-old such words as "loyalty," "responsibility," "honor."

I keep reminding myself that, "As far back as 30-year-old Charles Van Doren can remember, none of his questions was left unanswered."

All I can say is his parents earned a large portion of that \$100,000-plus 25 years ago.

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The matter, therefore, becomes one of personal judgment in which the letter is held in one hand and moved up and down for the purpose of determining its weight.

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On the other hand, is there a possibility that it will be handled by a kindly employee who, realizing the difficulty of determining how many stamps to put on a letter, will give the sender the benefit of the doubt? Will he be the sort who will hope that somebody will do

By and about Women

Points for Parents

By Edyth Thomas Wallace



NOT THIS
Mother: "I expect you to continue obeying the rules we have always had, such as coming straight home from school and not going out school nights."

THIS
Mother (in family council): "It is time to talk over our family rules and see if some of them should be modified now that you children are older."

as much for him some day?

The opinions of friends and relatives will, of course, be asked. But can their judgment be trusted? It is as hard to weight as the letter.

But if the letter is ever to be mailed a decision will have

to be reached. People who do not like to take their letters to the post office and give them to the man behind the window who is an expert in putting on stamps.

CHRISTOPHER BILLOPP

VIGNETTES OF HISTORY

Throughout his military career, William Selby Harney had many experiences fighting the Indians who terrorized our frontiers. As a major, he fought in the Black Hawk War, and also took part in the war with the Florida Indians. During the Mexican War, Harney distinguished himself in several important battles, especially at Cerro Gordo. After the war, Harney helped defeat the Sioux in the Platte River area. At the beginning of the Civil War, Harney, then a general, commanded the Department of the West, with headquarters in St. Louis. (These vignettes do not necessarily refer to Tangle Towns puzzles.)



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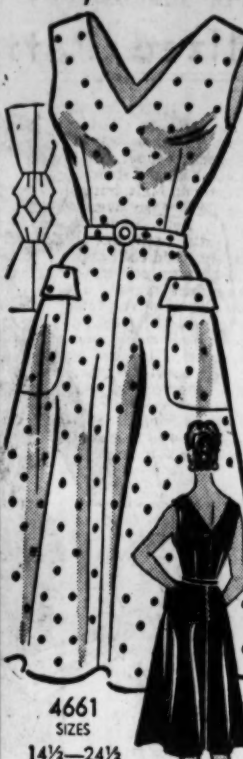
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sugar, one-fourth teaspoon onion powder, one-half cup apple cider, salt, pepper.
 Method: Cut off all but a thin layer of fat from around chops. Grease a very hot heavy skillet with a bit of the fat; add chops and brown rapidly on

both sides; hold with fork to brown edges. Meanwhile turn sauerkraut into strainer to drain thoroughly; mix drained kraut with apple, sugar and onion powder, then apple cider. Turn into baking dish (one and one-half to two quarts). Arrange browned chops in one layer over kraut mixture; sprinkle chops with salt and pepper. Cover tightly and bake in moderate (350 degrees) oven until tender. This will take from 30 minutes to one hour, depending on how much chops were cooked during browning and their thickness. In serving, lift chops to individual plates, then mix kraut with juices in baking dish before spooning out. Makes four servings.

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Uncle Ray's Column



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By Ramon Coffman

DURING recent years the sewing machine has made big gains in public favor. Nowadays women in a large number of additional homes use it to repair garments. In many cases they make new dresses.

Q. Why have sewing machines grown in popularity?

A. For at least three good reasons. Many modern machines are operated by electricity. The average weight is less than in the past, making it easier to move a machine about the home. New ways of stitching have been devised.

Q. Is the sewing machine an American invention?

A. The first idea on record for the sewing machine was hatched in the mind of an Englishman, Thomas Saint. He obtained a patent 187 years ago, but we are without proof that he did more than make drawings for the invention.

Forty years after that, a French tailor built a working model of a sewing machine along somewhat different lines. Eighty of his machines were ordered for use in making French military uniforms. Other tailors became fearful that they would lose their trade, and a riot took place. This helped to end the sewing machine's use in France.

Aside from that pioneer work, the sewing machine can be called an American invention. Several Americans (not just one) should have honor for designing "practical" machines.

Q. What about Elias Howe?

A. Howe is honored rightfully for his pioneer work on the sewing machine. He tried hard to create what was needed, and suffered through years of small success.

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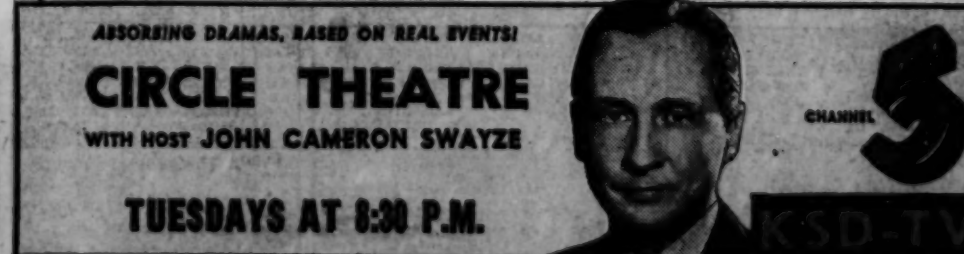
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